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Today

China's Dire Threat. Japan Strafes U.S. A Library Disaster. France Less Arbitrary.

—By Arthur Brisbane—
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THERE is something familiar in China's statement that if we let Japan destroy Chinese independence, then, as a matter of course, Japan will come and do the same to us.

We heard that about Germany once, and believing it cost us many billions, and every friend we had in Europe, if we had any.

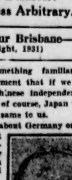
It is pathetic to read China's warning to the Leagues of Nations:

"China plans to fight, and Japan's drive on China-chow will mean war."

China is fighting now, as well as men on foot, untrained, can fight against bullets, bombs and gas from the air.

China's plight interests us, for if any fighting nation, with real air and submarine fleets, should attack us, from Europe or Asia, we should know how China feels now.

Vengeance would be ours, and we should repay, of course, in the long run, but the short run would be unpleasant.



BRISBANE

ARE you aware, by the way, that a young Japanese are taught that this nation, by Theodore Roosevelt's decision, cheated Japan out of her victory over Russia, and that Japan must have revenge for that some day?

Sensible Japanese have forgotten all that, and sensible Americans know

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Veteran Police Officer To Take Six Month Leave

Canadian Press

OTTAWA, Dec. 24.—Pioneer of the finger print method of identifying criminals in America, Inspector Edward Foster, Royal Canadian Mounted police, will commence six months leave on Jan. 1, pending his retirement from the force after 43 years service. He served for 30 years with the old Dominion police before it was amalgamated 12 years ago with the North-West Mounted police, and had charge of finger-print work in both forces since 1905.

He has the distinction of being the first expert in America to secure a conviction on a capital charge with finger-print evidence. He recalls that this happened in Chicago many years ago.

End Of Trial Means Start For Way Back Home

Canadian Press

SAINT JOHN, N.B., Dec. 24.—The end of a trial proved the start of a return home for three Jugo-Slavian stowaways arrested Tuesday night when they reached here from Antwerp on the steamer Beaverdale. Brought into police court today, they were ordered to be deported and will sail back toward Antwerp Friday on the Beaverdale, having glimpsed the land of their dreams only through the windows of a patrol wagon and the bars of a jail.

VERNON CITIZEN DIES

VERNON, B. C., Dec. 24.—One of Vernon's best known citizens, E. D. Waite, 57, a resident here since 1907, died Tuesday following a lingering illness. He was born in Brantford, Ont.

The Weather

Local Forecast

COMPARATIVELY MILD

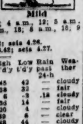
Highest temperature reading yesterday 38.

Official low as at 4 p.m. Wednesday: 5.

Barometric pressure 27.64 decreasing.

Hourly temperature readings (commencing midnight Wednesday): 13 p.m. 11; 1 a.m. 10; 2 a.m. 11; 3 a.m. 10; 4 a.m. 12; 5 a.m. 12; 6 a.m. 12; 7 a.m. 15; 8 a.m. 15; 9 a.m. 16.

Sunrise Friday 8.42; sets 4.56. Sunrise Saturday 8.42; sets 4.57.



Mild

	High	Low	Rain	Weather
	Yday	Night	Day	24-h
Victoria	45	42		cloudy
Kamloops	38	32		fair
Edmonton	38	5		cloudy
Swift Current	36	14		fair
Prince Albert	38	10		cloudy
Moose Jaw	40	4		cloudy
Toronto	44	36		cloudy
Montreal	38	22	.16	fair
St. John	38	32		fair
Calgary	38	20		cloudy
Medicine Hat	38	10		cloudy
Vancouver	52	38		fair
Nelson	42	28		fair
Dawson	17	4		cloudy
Battleford	38	10		cloudy
Winnipeg	32	20	.02	cloudy
Port Arthur	36	28		cloudy
Ottawa	36	34	.01	cloudy
Quebec	34	28	.02	cloudy
Halifax	42	34	.02	cloudy
Lethbridge	38	14		cloudy

NORTHERN WEATHER

Hudson Hope, cloudy, calm	16		
Fort St. John, cloudy, calm	14		
Taylor, cloudy, calm	16		
Peace Coupe, st. cloudy, calm	16		
Heavy Lodge, cloudy, calm	16		
Grande Prairie, cloudy, calm	16		
Spirit River, cloudy, calm	16		
Fairview, cloudy, calm	16		
Peace River, pt. cloudy, calm	16		
Fort Vermilion, cloudy, calm	16		
Keg River, cloudy, calm	16		
Rockyford, cloudy, calm	24		
Crowsnest, cloudy, calm	16		
Blairmore, cloudy, calm	16		
Fort McMurray, pt. cloudy, E wind	16		
Chipewyan, cloudy, calm	16		
Pelican, cloudy, calm	16		
Calling Lake, cloudy, calm	16		
Lac La Biche, clear, SE wind	16		
Flamandin, cloudy, S.E. wind	16		
Athabasca, cloudy, S.E. wind	16		

Except for local snowflurries the weather has been fair throughout Alberta, rather cold in northern districts. Much above normal temperature in southern districts. It has been mild and showery in Eastern Canada.

FORECASTS

Manitoba—Easterly winds, partly cloudy, today and Friday with some light local snow, stationary or a little higher temperature.

Saskatchewan and Alberta—Mostly fair and somewhat milder today and Friday; probably some light local snow.

POWERS WARN TOKYO AS CAMPAIGN EXTENDS

MacDonald Urges Speedy Parley To Solve Debt Tangle

Germany Declared Unable to Continue Reparations in Report of Young Plan Committee—Britain Ready to Act

Associated Press Cable

LOSSIEMOUTH, Scotland, Dec. 24.—Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald, informed today of the report of the Young plan committee on reparations at Basel last night, said: "The report shows quite plainly that the governments ought to meet without a day's unnecessary delay. "The British government is ready to be asked, to meet at once."

By MELVIN K. WHITELEATHER
Associated Press Staff Correspondent
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BASEL, Switzerland, Dec. 24.—The Young plan advisory committee tonight called for adjustment of all reparations and other war debts to the troubled state of the world's finances, and warned that this must be done immediately "if new disasters are to be avoided."

This proposal, adopted unanimously by the 11 financial experts and economists on the committee, was set forth in the final report completed after painstaking inquiry into the economic condition of Germany.

PRINCIPAL POINTS ARE OUTLINED

The principal points in the report, as detailed in an official advance summary, were these:

The statement that Germany "would be justified in declaring that, in spite of the steps taken to maintain the stability of her currency, she will not be able in the year beginning July 1, 1932, to transfer the conditional part of the (reparations) annuity."

No references linking war debts and reparations. The summary said: "The abolition of all reparations and other war debts is the troubled situation of the world—and this without delay if new disasters are to be avoided—is the only lasting step capable of re-establishing confidence. It is the very condition of economic stability."

CRISIS GRAVE

No direct reference to unconditional reparations annuities, which the committee had no power to touch, but the statement that "The committee would not consider it had fully accomplished its task if it did not draw the attention of the governments to unprecedented gravity of the crisis, the magnitude of which undoubtedly exceeds

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BODY OF FIFTH VICTIM TAKEN FROM VATICAN

Funeral of Men Killed When Roof Collapsed Held Today

Associated Press Cable

VATICAN CITY, Dec. 24—Body of the fifth and last missing man was found in the ruins of the Vatican library building this morning, he apparently had been dead since yesterday. Funeral of the five victims is to be held here this morning.

Body of a young Italian attorney, Marco Vattasso, killed when a section of the roof collapsed Tuesday, was removed from the ruins late Tuesday night, those of two workmen were discern Canada when "Del" Simons, veteran third workman late Wednesday.

Vattasso was found entombed in a mass of enormous volumes which shielded him from the masonry but failed to save his life. The others were found in a mass of shelving and scaffolding in a corner of the ground floor where they had sought shelter, two of them locked in embrace.

Of 300,000 volumes in the library, 15,000 were caught in the crash, some of which can never be replaced. One-third of the roof of the wing at the west end of the library, a section 43 feet wide and 55 feet long figured in the collapse. Two pillars supporting the roof gave way.

"Flop House" Boys Send Mayor Card, Thanks, Appreciation

Canadian Press

TORONTO, Dec. 24—One hundred and eighty three habitues of a local "flop-house" have sent Mayor William Stewart an elaborate Christmas card, thanking him and the citizens for the manner in which they had been cared for.

"Our flag we love, and all that has been done for us shows that the traditions of the British Empire are being adhered to by the loyalty and kindness shown to us during this period of unfortunate circumstances," says the card, in part.

Rum Carrying Vessel Libelled

Canadian Press

NEW LONDON, Conn., Dec. 23—The United States federal government has filed a libel against the vessel, Gamecock of Yarmouth, N.S. which was seized with an alleged $60,000 cargo of liquor by the coast guard, November 14. Hearing is scheduled for February 1.

Seattle Post Office Robbed Of $20,000

SEATTLE, Dec. 24—A lone bandit, armed with two guns, held up the cashiers office of the Seattle post office late Wednesday and escaped with approximately $20,000. Dozens of patrons were in the lobby a few feet away.

No Paper Friday

There will be no regular edition of The Edmonton Bulletin published December 25, Christmas Day.

Saturday's editions of The Bulletin will contain complete news of the holiday activities, as well as a full coverage of all world events of importance.

Advertisers are kindly requested to get their copy in for Saturday's paper as early as possible.

REVOLT SEEN BY WIDOW OF SUN YAT SEN

China to be Torn by Civil War by Next Spring, She Says

By MORRIS H. HARRIS
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SHANGHAI, Dec. 24.—Civil war in China by next spring was predicted today by Madame Sun Yat Sen, widow of China's former revolutionary president, who a few days ago delivered a strong attack upon the present Chinese leadership.

Referring to the recent changes in the government at Nanking, she said: "There cannot be unity in no way alter the grievous conditions existing in the Kuomintang (National party). It is merely a reshuffling of petty chieftains for additional spoils.

"The Kuomintang," she said, as a leader of China's revolutionary movement is "dead."

CAREER AS LEADER.

Mme. Sun Yat Sen has been a revolutionary leader in China ever since as a girl only turned 20 she served in the provisional republican government of 1912 with Dr. Sun Yat Sen, whom she married three years later.

"What happens at Nanking," she continued, "is of little importance as related to the underlying people's revolutionary movement in which lies the country's salvation. The Canton and Nanking chiefs may form a new government but it will be temporary. Chinese self-interested, foreign-controlled politicians, who are in no way concerned with bettering China's position, either at home or abroad, will fall out before spring and then we will have more civil war.

STRUGGLE SEEN

"It will be a struggle between the Canton and Nanking cliques, with the millionaires lined up on whichever side promises them the greatest spoils. Nanking and Canton alike, with the millionaires lined up on whichever side promises them the greatest spoils. Nanking's bickerings make nothing. They aren't interested in the country's welfare; they have no policy, they have nothing but self-interested gain. They will all disappear when the people arise.

"Japan is to be driven from Manchuria then as will all other foreign aggressors."

Nine Foot Tide Hits Oregon Dykes

Associated Press

MARSHFIELD, Ore., Dec. 24—A nine-foot tide piled up by a raging storm at sea, swept over the tops of dykes and flooded bottom lands along various inlets of Coos Bay Wednesday.

The Southern Pacific railroad tracks along Isthmus inlet were but one to two feet above the water. No major damage was reported.

FINAL Flashes

LABORITE OPTIMISTIC

NEW YORK, Dec. 24—The overthrow of the Labor government in the recent general election in Great Britain will not prove a permanent setback according to H. B. Lees-Smith, former postmaster-general and minister of education in the Labor government, who arrived here on the Aquitania.

WALLS COLLAPSE, 12 DEAD

CAPE TOWN, Union of South Africa, Dec. 24—Twelve persons were killed in a building collapse this afternoon when the walls of a building in course of demolition, collapsed, burying a small store crowded with Christmas shoppers.

CHANGE POLICY

NANKING, China, Dec. 24.—Fundamental changes in the Chinese foreign policy, especially as regards the Manchurian dispute, are contemplated by party leaders meeting here to form a new government group, their spokesman said today.

He declined to furnish details of the contemplated changes.

"The garrison at Chinchow will resist any Japanese attempt to capture the city," the spokesman said.

CANADIANS HIT

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Several hundred Canadian nurses are affected by an order just issued by Dr. C. G. William Greiff, commissioner of hospitals for Manhattan and Bronxville. The order stipulates that all nurses employed by the city must become naturalized citizens immediately or vacate their positions.

CONTESTS DISMISSED

MONTREAL, Dec. 24—Provincial election contestation cases pending in the superior court here were dismissed today by a judgment of chief justice Greenshields, in which all actions were dismissed with each party paying his own costs.

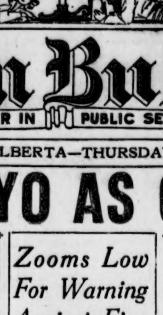
JAPS REFUSE ATTACKS

MUKDEN, Manchuria, Dec. 24—Japanese troops repulsed Chinese bandits in two battles today, during the village of Taitcicho, two miles from Tsinchin, and defeating another band 30 miles northeast of Yinghow.

TRIPLETS ARRIVE

WINDSOR, Ont., Dec. 24—Three Christmas presents arrived at the home of Leo Mansell, of Tecumseh yesterday. They are triplets weighing seven, seven and five pounds and were left by Old Doc Stork. All members of the family are today reported as "doing very well" but Mr. Mansell feels rather overcome by the lavishness of nature's bounty.

Zooms Low For Warning Against Fire



M. D. (Doc.) Ator, above, airmail pilot on the Chicago-Evansville-Atlanta route, has been mentioned by citizens of Lowell and Wallace, Ind., and Centralia, Ill., for the Carnegie medal. Pilot Ator discovered three night fires this year, saved the lives of eight persons, and possibly saved the town of Wallace, by sweeping low and warning residents of the flames.

TODAY'S ODDEST NEWS

BABY THRIVES WITH HEART NEAR STOMACH

ROANOKE RAPIDS, N.C., Dec. 24—A baby boy, with his heart pumping in the outside of his stomach, is living and thriving here. The child is the son of Buthie Spragins and is nine months old. The exact location of the heart is on the outside of the abdomen, below the diaphragm and exactly in the centre of the body. Physicians, who at first despaired of the child's life, now think it will live.

DAUGHTER MARRIES MOTHER'S STEPFATHER

OSLO, Norway, Dec. 24.—A 49-year-old woman here is a great-grandmother, was married to a painter, 23 years old. She had a daughter by a previous marriage. This daughter, now 33, has become a grandmother. Her daughter, 17, married the father of the 23-year-old painter. Everybody is trying to figure out the relationships. Nobody has the answer.

War Widows' Ass'n. to Distribute Good Cheer

Bulletin Readers Through "Not Forgotten Fund" Make It Possible for 100 Wounded Ex-Soldiers in University Hospital to Enjoy Merry Christmas

Ticking of clocks and hands rapidly circling the clock face, indicate the rapid approach of "Zero Hour" for the nursing staff of the University hospital and the War Widows' Association executive. At "zero hour" on Friday they will go "over the top" and distribute the "Not Forgotten Fund" benefits to the approximately 100 former soldiers of the Canadian Corps who are patients in the Military Ward of the hospital.

Twenty-five hard-working ladies who have cooperated with the Bulletin in endeavoring to boost the fund up to generous proportions, will spend Thursday afternoon and evening mobilizing and preparing for their "zero hour" on Christmas morning.

There is one last chance, glorious opportunity for each and every one to contribute to this fund. There is still time to get your donation in and have it aid in spreading Christmas cheer.

The "Not Forgotten Fund" has been sponsored each year by the Bulletin with a view to contributing to the alleviation of suffering of those former soldiers, who, more than 13 years after the Armistice, are still confined to hospital, suffering from wounds received in action.

Response so far has been highly gratifying. But there are many who have not yet sent in their contributions, who would like to feel that they have aided in some measure. Such well-wishing readers can put forth a special effort and hurry such contribution to the Bulletin office and thus give The War Widows' Association even more opportunity of placing good Christmas cheer before the lads who did not shirk their contribution to the Empire in time of stress.

Previously acknowledged	$1166.61
O. T. C.	2.00
The Bulletin's West End Carrier Boys	15.00
Duke of York Chapter	5.00
Staff W. H. Clarke & Co. Limited	9.75
Staff Hayward Lumber Co. Limited	3.25
Edmonton Cosmopolitan Club	20.00
The Bulletin's Main Office Carrier Boys	3.40
Margaret Davis	10.00
Friend	1.00
Canadian Legion (Fort Saskatchewan)	10.00
The Leasing (Chauvin, Alta.)	2.00
Friend	2.60
Boys of the Champion Parcel Delivery	3.00
Jack Hindle	1.00
Employees of the Edmonton City Dairy Limited	8.50
Friends in Need	5.00
J. A. Hedley (Irma, Alta.)—1000 Cigarettes.	
Buena Women's Institute (Bashaw, Alta.)	5.00
Mrs. Thompson	1.00
Frank Oxley (Lacombe, Alta.)	1.00
Brindley's Store—Box of Apples	
Staff J. H. Ashdown Hardware Co. Limited	3.00
The J. H. Ashdown Hardware Co. Limited	3.50
The Bulletin's Alberta Avenue Carrier Boys	2.50
The Bulletin's South Side Carrier Boys	1.00
Total	$1271.81

TUG WITH 11 MEN ABOARD SAFE IN PORT

Peary's Polar Ship, Feared Sunk, Rides Out Terrific Gale

Associated Press

PORT ANGELES, Wash., Dec. 24.—While United States and Canadian patrol boats searched heaving seas off Cape Flattery for her, the tug Roosevelt escaped the fury of the storm and reached shelter in Neah Bay safely today. Nothing had been heard from her since she messaged "Ye Gods! take, Jerry," last night.

Neah Bay coast guardsmen messaged that the Roosevelt, Admiral Robert E. Peary's North Pole discovery ship with 11 Seattle men aboard, came into the shelter at 4.30 a.m.

The historic ship which arrived at the Cape yesterday to take in tow the schooner Vigilant, loser in a sailing ship race from Hawaii, voluntarily went to sea to aid the winner of the contest, the schooner Commodore. The Commodore was have to in the raging gale after breaking loose from her own tug, the Goliath.

After making fast to the Roosevelt, the Commodore again broke away and was carried out to sea by the heavy gale. Undaunted, the sturdy little Roosevelt pursued her.

Associated Press

SEATTLE, Dec. 24—Distress calls from the tug Roosevelt, which was fighting mountainous seas together with the schooner Commodore, the latter having just completed a successful race from Hawaii to Puget Sound, in a gale off Cape Flattery last night, sent the coastguard cutter Snohomish in a 70-mile race to its aid.

The call for aid was picked up here at 5.30 Wednesday night by the harbor radio and when an hour and a half later nothing more was heard from the Roosevelt, the Snohomish, which had been lying ready all day to go to the aid of either the Commodore or the Roosevelt, put to sea. The call said the Roosevelt was shipping water.

The Roosevelt and the Commodore had been battling bad weather all day. When a heavy sea which the Roosevelt was attempting to tow the Commodore gave way, the two vessels became separated, the Roosevelt ending up approximately 15 miles south of Cape Beale, on Vancouver Island. She has a crew of 12 men. The exact location of the Commodore is not known, but it was in the vicinity of Cape Flattery.

The coastguard said the Snohomish would be at least five hours reaching the Roosevelt.

Clue to Slayer Of Little Girl Given to Police

Associated Press

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Dec. 24.—A man reported acting strangely, a bundle toward the tenement cellar in which was found the mutilated body of six-year-old Marian McLean, was sought last night as the degenerate who caused her death.

The coastguard the possible identity of the child's kidnapper-slayer, came from a woman who said police she heard two men in a cigar store discussing the incident.

Another missing child scare Wednesday proved groundless. Eleven-year-old William Hornsby was reported missing for 24 hours, and harassed police officers began another search. They found him at a neighbor's home.

Santa Claus To Change Monicker Business To Dull

Associated Press

SANTA CLAUS, Ind., Dec. 24.—Christmas Eve will find residents of Santa Claus worried over the intention of the post office department to change the name it has borne for 80 years.

A disappointingly small amount of Christmas mail sent here to receive a special postmark convinced the department to contemplate the change.

BODY RECOVERED

SAULT STE. MARIE, Ont., Dec. 24.—Body of Miss Marion Hornsby, nurse, who had been missing since Monday, was found today when police raised her car from the bottom of a canal on the United States side. The face was bruised, as if she had crashed against the windshield as the car went over the bank.

Exchange Rates On Pound And Dollar Quoted

Canadian Press

TORONTO, Ont., Dec. 24.—Exchange rates at noon today were as follows:

Pound sterling, in Montreal, 4.18¼.

Pound sterling, in New York, 3.45¾.

Canadian dollar, in New York, .81¼.

Japs Will Crush All Undesirable Forces, Army Chiefs Assert

Communique Regarded as Final Warning to Chinese Army in Chinchow to Withdraw Within Great Wall

By JAMES P. HOWE
Associated Press Cable

TOKYO, Dec. 24.—The British, United States and French governments were understood today to have expressed to the Japanese government what Tokyo considers a "warning" upon the new Japanese military operations in the Chinchow region.

The Rengo News Agency said the text of the warning notes is to be published soon, with the Japanese reply.

JAPS TO STRESS "BANDIT" CLAIM

The Japanese reply, the Rengo News Agency report said, will stress the claim that there is little difference between "regular" and "irregular" bandits in the Chinchow region.

The Japanese government is understood to consider the present military operations entirely within the realm of the anti-bandit drive held before to have been recognized by the League of Nations resolution of December 10.

MUKDEN, Manchuria, Dec. 24.—Intimation of extending its "bandit suppression" campaign to eliminate "all undesirable forces from the entire district of the Liao river" in the direction of Chinchow was revealed last night in a statement issued by Japanese army headquarters.

RUTHLESS AIMS

"In case any party attempts to obstruct our action," the statement add-

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DEBT REPORT EASES STRAIN BRITISH VIEW

Prospects for Reparations Parley Brightened Times Comments

Canadian Press Cable

LONDON, Dec. 24.—Prospects for reparation conversations of the future have been considerably brightened, the Times said today in commenting on the finding of the Young plan advisory committee that all reparations and other war debts are in need of adjustment. The consensus of London editorial opinion was that the committee had performed its difficult task well and satisfactorily.

The Times devoted its "leader" to a general discussion of the work of the Basel committee, the Bankers' committee which has also been considering Germany's agreement, and the moratorium of President Hoover. It expressed the opinion that the outlook for international discussions has become more promising, but added: "There can be no final settlement of the reparations problem without concurrent settlement of war debts, and there is no hope at present of the war debts question so long as United States opinion remains so uncompromising as recent moratorium discussion in congress have shown it to be."

TELEGRAPH AGREES

The Daily Telegraph commented in similar vein. "It remains to be seen how the popular attitude reflected in the congressional resolution is to be related to the findings of the conference," the paper said.

This newspaper added the opinion that speeches at Washington have shown congress to be strongly of the

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Who's Who In Today's News

SANTA CLAUS,

Jolly old saint who has been distributing gifts to worthy children at about this time of year for centuries and is still going strong. He will be visiting Edmonton some time tonight, but will probably have to speed away in order to make his rounds and few, if any, will get a glimpse of him.

TWO MISSING AIRMEN SAFE IN WINNIPEG

Men Stranded Two Weeks in Northern Manitoba Escaped Suffering

Canadian Press

WINNIPEG, Dec. 24.—A pilot and mining engineer who started two weeks ago in a gold rush by air flight from Winnipeg to Island Lake, in northeast Manitoba, were forced down 80 miles north of the lake's scattered gold fields and wandered for days before assistance reached them, last night was reported here.

Stewart McHortie, the pilot, and C. N. Forrest, the engineer, were picked up late yesterday by Pilot A. Westergaard at Charron Lake, where Moose Rouge machine has been stranded for 13 days. Westergaard flew the last pair to Island Lake and yesterday brought them to Winnipeg.

Neither McHortie nor Forrest suffered from exposure or lack of food after their plane landed on Charron Lake and broke through thin ice. They were made to move the machine 50 miles aged to get to shore. They had sufficient food and the weather was mild. Westergaard, one of two fliers sent to search for the missing couple, spotted them yesterday as they walked with an Indian who was guiding them toward Island Lake.

French To Buy 200,000 Tons Of German Nitrate

Associated Press Cable

PARIS, Dec. 24.—French and German chemical trusts are on the verge of an agreement under which French interests will purchase 200,000 tons of German nitrate, it was learned last night. This amount, sufficient of nitrate for France, already has sold a similar amount here this year.

It was understood the German deal was to be a flat purchase at a price lower than that offered by other nitrate producing countries.

Ask Lifting Of Ban On Mexican Priests

Associated Press

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 24.—Most Reverend Pascual Diaz, Catholic archbishop of Mexico, today asked President Ortiz Rubio to use all his influence to secure reconsideration of the bill passed by the legislature limiting the number of priests in Mexico City and the federal district to one for each 50,000 population.

In a long letter to the president the archbishop said the legislature had exceeded its power, and he asked the president "to listen to the voice and will of the people, not to the clamor of a political faction."

He did not mince words in calling the measure anti-constitutional and anti-patriotic, and an open violation of previous governmental agreements with the church.

Calgary Employees To Take Wage Cut

Canadian Press

CALGARY, Alta., Dec. 24—All permanent employees of the city, except firemen, policemen and electrical workers, will receive a four per cent. wage reduction, with no time off, for one month, acting on a motion of Mayor, the city council decided Wednesday. The mayor's salary will also be reduced.

The firemen, policemen and electrical workers will confer further with the city council before accepting the reduction.

FIRE DESTROYS BARRACKS

MUKDEN, Manchuria, Dec. 24.—One Japanese soldier was missing today and seven were injured as a result of a fire which destroyed all the barracks of the Japanese garrison at Chuliuho last night.

Chuliuho is 81 miles west of Mukden. The fire caused an explosion in the munition sheds connected with the barracks and the injuries were the result of the blast.

Culbertson Forces Increase Lead in Bridge Marathon

LENZ, JACOBY SWAMPED BY ELY'S ATTACK

Players of "Official" System Lose Heavily To Culbertson Duo

Associated Press

NEW YORK, N.Y., Dec. 24.—Ely Culbertson and Ted Lightner early today ended the 12th session of the big contract bridge match 11,585 points ahead of Sidney S. Lenz and Oswald Jacoby. They won six of the eight rubbers of the session. The rubber standing became 48 for Culbertson and 36 for Lenz.

By SIDNEY S. LENZ

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NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—In spite of our great expectations because of change of surroundings, the result of the first session at the Waldorf-Astoria was not any different from what we had experienced for a number of nights at the Hotel Chatham.

We won only two rubbers, and lost six. The only bright spot was that no slam was scored against us. We lost 3,820 points during the session, and our total minus score is now 14,505 points.

Because of the customary formalities, the start of play was delayed. We bid two spades on the first hand and made three, which we took to be a good omen. The hand immediately following was the cause of a long argument with Mr. Culbertson. The hand:

	NORTH Lens S—Q-J H—J-7 D—Q-10-7-5 C—A-Q-6-3-2	
WEST Culbertson S—8-7-4 H—5-4-4-2 D—9-3-2 C—K-10-5		EAST Lightner S—K-10-6 H—A-Q-10-8 D—J-6-4 C—J-9-7
	SOUTH Jacoby S—A-9-5-3-2 H—K-7-6 D—A-K-8 C—8-4	

I had passed and Mr. Lightner bid one no-trump which my partner doubled informatorily. Culbertson took a long time before he passed after the double, and I thinking that he had passed, decided to have the bidding reviewed in order to make certain. Culbertson objected to this, and during the discussion he made some unintentional references to the bidding of his hand. The referee decided that I was entitled to make my request out, on the other hand, Culbertson's remark automatically barred his partner from the bidding.

TOOK FIRST GAME

I did not take advantage of the opportunity to pass, which would have produced a big set for our opponents, and I led two clubs. My partner bid two spades and made five, giving us the first game. After our opponents scored a game, we came off victorious taking the first rubber in our new quarters, scoring our second game at three no-trump.

Partial scores are very dangerous in contract bridge, as opponents are often forced to over-bid their hands in order to prevent the fortunate possessors of the partial score from going game. For this reason, good players usually prefer to take a small set rather than allow opponents to score a low contract. The following hand, which occurred during today's play, offers a good example:

	NORTH Lens S—7-6 H—Q-8-5-2 D—A-K-6 C—K-Q-6-4	
WEST Culbertson S—Q-5-3-2 H—A-9-6-3 D—8-5-2 C—9-3		EAST Lightner S—A-K-J-10-9-4 H—K-7 D—Q-9-4 C—5-2
	SOUTH Jacoby S—8 H—J-10-4 D—J-10-7-3 C—A-J-10-7-5	

After passes by South and West, I bid one club which East over-called with one spade.

RISKED A SET

My partner raised me to two clubs. West went to two spades, and after my pass East bid three spades which could have been made easily. Jacoby preferred to risk a set instead of allowing East to make three spades, so he bid clubs which West and I both passed. East, however, then reasoned along the same lines as my partner, and, fearing that we would score four clubs, he bid four spades. The contract was set one trick. Of course he did not lose anything on the hand as he had one hundred honors. We would have been down one trick at four clubs.

MISFORTUNE CROWNED

And to further crown our misfortune, we finally lost this rubber.

The third rubber was won by our opponents with only four hands dealt. We had comparatively better luck in the fourth rubber. After we had scored the first game our opponents made a partial score of thirty-five points on top of which they held a tremendous club hand with which they could easily have made four clubs for a game, but they preferred to play the hand at no-trump and went down two tricks. We then won the rubber on the following hand:

	NORTH Lens S—J-10-7-2 H—7-6 D—K-10-8-7-5-4 C—5	
WEST Culbertson S—3 H—K-J-10-8-5-3-2 D—6 C—J-10-9-6		EAST Lightner S—9-8-6 H—Q-9-4 D—A-Q-9-3 C—A-Q-7
	SOUTH Jacoby S—A-K-Q-5-4 H—A D—J-2 C—K-5-4-3-2	

East was the dealer and bid one no-trump which my partner over-called with two spades. Had his opponents been vulnerable he probably would have passed, to give them a chance to get into trouble. Was bid three hearts and I assisted my partner, going to four spades. I had very nice distribution and realized that Mr. Jacoby would not have bid against a no-trump when vulnerable if he had not had an exceptionally strong hand.

After a pass by East, he went to four spades, which East doubled, and contract was made without difficulty.

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Showing 'Em Up

That "bridge battle of the century," in New York, is an all-male affair now. Here Ely Culbertson (right) is shown with his new partner, Theodore A. Lightner of Detroit, who replaced Mrs. Culbertson when the latter retired from the 150-rubber tournament to do her Christmas shopping. Note the studious frown on Culbertson's face.

AMUSEMENTS

RIALTO

In "The Viking" there is unfolded on the Rialto screen an undying tale of heroism that has never been duplicated before. The story is one of thrilling and great bravery.

Varick Frissell and many of the men who started out to chronicle the dangerous adventure to the seal hunt never came back as the vessel that they started out in was blown up with a tremendous loss of life including the intrepid leader Frissell.

On the same program there is the opening episode of the marvellous serial, "The Vanishing Legion," starring Harry Carey and Edwina Booth, together with William Desmond and a host of screen stars.

Included on the same program for good measure is a two-reel comedy "Torchy Passes the Buck," as well as one of the wonderful fishing reels, "Trail of the Swordfish," and the latest Metrotone News of the World.

PRINCESS

The Four Marx Brothers do not miss a trick when it comes to providing comedy on the screen. In fact, Director Norman McLeod, who boosted their most recent and most frolicsome opus, "Monkey Business" (coming to the Princess theatre for two days beginning on Friday), sees in their efforts on the screen every known comedy method, ranging from slapstick to subtle satire.

McLeod can be called the perfect analysis of comedy methods. He began by drawing the comical line cartoons for Christie comedies several years ago. Then he became a title writer and subsequently a gag man, cameraman, and director.

STRAND

Marilyn Miller, who comes to the Strand theatre Saturday next in "Her Majesty, Love," her latest First National starring vehicle, was one of the "Follies" stars before appearing in her own musical plays, "Sunny," "Sally" and "Rosalie." She was eminently successful, too, on Broadway in a play without music and dancing, "Peter Pan."

But it is hard to think of the exuberant Marilyn without having visions of her radiant dancing, her quaint gift for mimicry, her laughter and her deft clowning. She has a chance to display her genius for entertaining in "Her Majesty, Love," in which she appears first as a barmaid and evolves into a butterfly baroness—daughter of the line of consorts to an aged nobleman.

DREAMLAND

When Zane Grey was asked not long ago which of his famous adventure stories he considered his favorite, he answered instantly, "Riders of the Purple Sage." The Fox Films of this pulsating romance, featuring George O'Brien, is at the Dreamland theatre.

Grey stands above all competitors in the crowded field of Western fiction in which he excels. Hunter and frontiersman himself, he has lived what he writes and writes as cleanly and vigorously as he has lived.

CAPITOL

Tallulah Bankhead, the favorite of two continents, in "The Cheat" is the Christmas Day entertainment at the Capitol theatre. It is real holiday entertainment that Manager Wilson has chosen for Capitol patrons and a picture that is sure to please.

Again the magnificent Tallulah sweeps through a dramatic conflict with distinction and honor, this time with Irving Pichel, the forceful district attorney of "An American Tragedy."

The opening night crowd at the Capitol last night thoroughly enjoyed "The Cheat." It is the story of a beautiful woman lured from her husband by a man of the Orient who endeavors to win her, first with offers of money and favors, and finally with a threat of what his "mark" branded on her shoulder will do to her reputation in the event she fails to yield to his pleas.

Irving Pichel, hailed as one of the screen's most versatile character actors, enacts the role of the man who couldn't stand a mortal thrust at his pride and reputation of handling women his own way.

EMPRESS

Ken Maynard gives one of his most daring performances in "Range Law," the new Tiffany Productions western which opens at the Empress theatre today and continues Christmas Day and Saturday.

In this picture he is called upon to execute some of the most astonishing pieces of horsemanship ever witnessed on the screen.

The story is that of a man who has been wrongly convicted of a crime and who escapes to right the wrong that has been done him. He meets the girl of his dreams and discovers that she is engaged to the man who sent him to jail. What follows can easily be imagined, but even the best imaginations will fall far short of the excitement found in this film.

Santa Claus Flies To Northern Relief

Canadian Press

PRINCE ALBERT, Sask., Dec. 24.—Santa Claus winged his way yesterday from here to unemployment relief camps in remote sections of Prince Albert National Park, where 120 men are working cutting boundary and doing other work. Two Royal Canadian Air Force planes left here laden with 130 pounds of turkey, other necessary trimmings for Christmas dinners, and what parcels had been received for the men at the camps. By Thursday evening the cargo will have been distributed to the camps spread out in the 18,000-square-mile park.

Mary Pickford, British Member, Going To India

Associated Press Cable

LONDON, Dec. 24.—Mary Pickford, sent to the House of Commons in the last general elections, is to be a member of one of three committees sailing for India on January 14 to investigate and make recommendations in connection with problems raised at the Indian round table conference.

Miss Pickford is Great Britain's "real" Mary Pickford, and not the Toronto-born Mary Pickford of film fame.

Lord Eustace Percy will head one of the committees whose function will be to consider the recommendations of the Federal finance committee. The Marquis of Lothian heads the committee which has the only woman member.

J. C. C. Davidson heads the committee which will conduct a specific investigation of financial problems in connection with the individual Indian states.

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Little Jackie Cooper, Robert Coogan and Jackie Searl again appear in their same roles with Director Norman Taurog once more at the helm. The play opens at the Capitol on Saturday.

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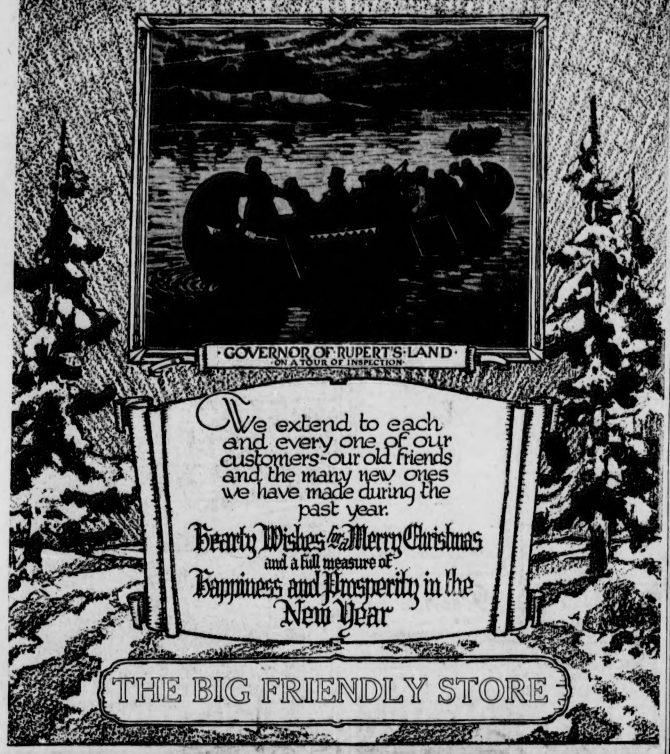

MINERAL FIND AT BEAR LAKE REPORTED BIG

Indications Point to Richer Silver Fields Than Even Cobalt Had

Mineral possibilities, with proved ore values beyond expectations but sadly hampered by lack of transportation and inaccessibility is the survey of the Great Bear Lake mineral zone as reported in the summary of a paper presented to Canadian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy, Northern Alberta Branch, December 22, at the University of Alberta, by Prof. Allen E. Cameron of Dept. of Geology, University of Alberta.

The occurrence of metal bearing minerals in sufficient quantities to be of economic importance has been proved in the vicinity of Great Bear Lake during the last few years.

Rich copper ore bodies including native copper, hornite and chalcocite have been located on Coppermine river, in the vicinity of Dismal lakes, and particularly on the east shore of Great Bear lake near Hunter Bay and Sloane river.

More recently extremely rich pitchblende and native silver veins have been found about Echo Bay, some 35 miles south of Hunter Bay.

The very limited explorations to date in this most recent find have shown very promising prospects scattered over an area of almost 64 square miles.

RICHER THAN COBALT.

Two definite finds of pitchblende have been reported over 6 miles apart, and extremely rich silver lodes have been discovered at several points within this area.

The Echo Bay area already gives very definite evidence of being as rich a silver field as Cobalt, and probably richer because the finds already recorded are scattered over an area several times as large as the Cobalt area.

Besides the silver, the pitchblende and associated radium make the region stand out as one of the most promising mineral finds of the present century.

But if the Great Bear lake region shows promise of being one of the greatest of metallic mineral discoveries, at the same time it shows promise of being one of the most difficult to exploit.

SOME HANDICAPS.

Although partially favored by potential fuel resources in the form of petroleum and coal comparatively near at hand in the Mackenzie river valley to the west and potential power resources in the water power of Great Bear river and Coppermine river, it has great natural handicaps in the form of unfavorable climatic conditions, poor timber resources, an extremely difficult transportation problem, and, perhaps most important of all, an entire lack of local or indigenous population from which to draw labor.

POSSIBLE POWER.

Some timber may be available in the Mackenzie river valley, but all other supplies and equipment and all labor for development and exploration of the mineral field and the possible fuel and power resources, to say nothing of the products of the mineral field, will have to be transported more than 1000 miles from the end of steel. Successful development and exploitation of this mineral field will depend very largely upon successful application of airplane transport, at least between Great Slave lake and Great Bear lake.

Airplane transport will require proper terminal facilities including charting of harbors, dockage and wireless service, at least at Echo Bay and Fort Rae. Proper hydrographic survey of the harborage at Fort Rae is perhaps the most urgent of all immediate requirements.

There Ain't No Saint Nick?

* * * WELL—BETTER NOT TELL JIM THAT * * *

He's Present in Person, Too

Associated Press

SLATER, Mo., Dec. 24—All is bustle and preparation at the farm home of Santa Claus, near Slater.

When he can take time off from answering the letters that are crammed into his mail box, Santa Claus—that's really his name—is helping Mrs. Claus get things in readiness for a big celebration for their six children.

Try and tell three-year-old Jimmy Brown there is no Santa Claus. Just try it. Why, Santa Claus is his grandfather.

Many a cashier of a bank in a strange town where Santa Claus has attempted to cash checks has laughed upon noting the signature and then became angry when Santa Claus insisted he was Santa Claus.

Santa Claus, also is part-time minister of the Church of God.

Christmas day, Santa Claus, Mrs. Claus and the children will enjoy an old-fashioned country dinner. In the afternoon, if the usual custom is followed, one or two couples will appear to be married by the minister with the magical name.

Scarlet Chapter Elects Officers

Exclusive to Edmonton Bulletin

IRMA, Alta., Dec. 24.—The annual meeting of the Irma Scarlet Chapter 3066 was held at Irma on Monday, Dec. 14. One candidate was exalted. The annual report showed an increase on the membership roll. One new membership by certificate and five by ballotion during the year.

The election of officers for the year 1932 was conducted by P. W. C. Sir Kt. F. W. Watkinson, who also installed the new officers as follows: W. commander, Sir Kt. M. D. Askin; past commander, Sir Kt. F. W. Watkinson; D. commander, Sir Kt. R. Sharp; chaplain, Sir Kt. J. H. Armitage; scribe and treasurer, Sir Kt. F. W. Watkinson; marshall, Sir Kt. R. H. Stone; 1st lecturer, Sir Kt. J. Watson; 2nd lecturer, Sir Kt. J. Jackson; 1st conductor, Sir Kt. J. Thompson; 2nd conductor, Sir Kt. J. Fenton; herald Sir Kt. C. E. Carter; sentinel, Sir Kt. J. Holt.

HOCKEY GAME TIE

Clyde, Alta., Dec. 24—Another striking hockey game was staged in Clyde on Saturday night. Athabasca and Clyde played an overtime game. The game was rough. Mr. Campbell, Clyde, and B. Evans, Athabasca, each played a good game in goal, only two goals being scored against them, making another tie game between these two teams. The Trojan brothers scored for Clyde and Graves and Shaw for Athabasca. A return game will be played Monday in Athabasca.

Lloydminster Asks Support For Road To Cold Lake Area

The Lloydminster Ratepayers' association is petitioning the governments of Alberta and Saskatchewan and the Federal government to give their support to the proposed construction of a highway running along the fourth meridian from the international boundary to Cold Lake and passing through Lloydminster, according to a communication received by John Blue, secretary of the Edmonton Chamber of Commerce, from G. E. Morlidge, secretary of the association.

Support of the chamber is being asked by the Lloydminster organization, which points out that a gravelled highway along the route outlined would serve as a market road and also a tourist highway to the Cold Lake region. It is proposed to do the work as part of the relief scheme.

BANK CLOSED

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 24—The Broadway Bank and Trust Company did not open for business. Charles G. Morris, the president, said action was taken upon order of the State Bank Commissioner. The bank was incorporated in 1913 with a capital of $400,000.

JUDGE LOCKE IMPROVING

VANCOUVER, B. C., Dec. 24.—The condition of Judge Corbet Locke, formerly of Mordrn, Manitoba, who has been seriously ill here for some days, is reported as more favorable.

Civic Organizations Hold Elections Of Staffs For 1932

Exclusive to Edmonton Bulletin

WASKATENAU, Alta., Dec. 24.—Almost every organization held its annual meeting during the past week. The eighth annual meeting of the Co-operative Association resulted in the election of Messrs. D. C. West, F. Scott, C. G. Fowler, E. Pilkington to fill the retiring officers' posts. Other members of the directorate are: Messrs. H. Van Menen, W. Gardiner and E. P. Rogers.

The following are the officers of the Ladies' Aid of the United Church for 1932: President, Mrs. B. N. Canning; vice-president, Mrs. Newton; secretary, Mrs. A. Wolf; treasurer, Mrs. Richardson. Mrs. Gallant, the very successful past president, presented a complete community set to the church board, on behalf of the Waskatenau and Warspite Aids. Receipts for the year were approximately $500. The proceeds of the Birthday Box are being used for relief purposes.

The following officers of the local branch of the U.F.W.A. will comprise the executive for 1932: President, Mrs. Lunn; vice-president, Mrs. Elmer Rogers; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. W. Warr.

The following officers of the Women's Auxiliary of All Saints' Church were elected for 1932: Hon. President, Mrs. Melbourne; president, Mrs. Henry; first vice-president, Mrs. Lunn; second vice-president, Mrs. Humphreys; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Scott; secretary Little Helpers' branch, Mrs. Peake; mistress of supplies, Mrs. Longbottom, Mrs. W. Warr, Mrs. Patterson; publicity reporter, Mrs. Robbins.

Mrs. Henry, Mrs. Proctor and Mrs. Melbourne were elected as delegates to the annual convention to be held in Edmonton in February.

Indoor Carnival To Afford Jollity

Exclusive to Edmonton Bulletin

WASKATENAU, Alta., Dec. 24.—The Brighton School Christmas Tree was held on Monday afternoon, the special feature being the orchestra comprised of four of the school children, organ, two violins and accordeon.

An indoor carnival is being held on Tuesday evening, December 29, by the Board of Trade in the Community Memorial Hall. There will be much merriment and the attractions will be manifold. It is confidently expected that the Board, under the able presidency of Mr. C. G. Fowler, will wipe off the Hall indebtedness this season.

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Feature Special! 300 Smart New Dresses

—A 9 A.M. special from the Ready-to-Wear Dept. Dresses fashioned from softly woven fancy-knit cotton—a copy of high-priced woolen sports materials. A hose of attractive styles. Smartly trimmed with belts and contrasting trims. Ideal for business, sports, college and holiday wear. Shown in various color combinations of black, navy, green, blues, wine and red. Sizes 15 to 19, and 14 to 20. We advise early selection at this special pricing of only 2.95.

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Odd Chesterfield Chairs

—A variety of coverings in this offering. Upholstered arm chairs and Coxwell type—some with plain backs, others with button backs—reversible chairs have reversible spring filled cushions. Take your choice of mohair, tapestry or jacquard coverings. Shop at 9 a.m. for first choice. Formerly priced from $35 to $50.

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Kellogg's Pep, Puffed Wheat and Rice Krispies, special 2 pkts. 25c

Choice Prunes, special 3 lbs. 31c
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Creamery Butter Special!
HBC Seal of Quality Butter, special ..... 2 lbs. 81c

Fraser Valley Red Plum Jam, 4s; special, per tin 35c

Peas ..... 3 tins 31c
Tomatoes, 2½s ..... 3 tins 31c
Corn, special ..... 3 tins 31c

Aylmer Assorted Soups, except chicken. Special 3 tins 25c

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Pears, 2s; squat ..... 2 tins 25c
Australian Pineapple, crushed or sliced, 2s. Per tin 25c
Choice Dates, special 3 lbs. 25c
Pitted, special ..... 2 lbs. 25c

Choice Corned Beef, 1s; special per tin 13c

White Clover Honey, 5s; special, per tin 47c
Lifebuoy Soap, special 4 bars 25c
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"My meat is to do the will of Him that sent me and to finish His work." —John 4:34.

Today's text is suggested by Rev. E. G. Goos, St. Stephen's Lutheran Church, Hay Lakes.

Saturday's text will be select ed by Rev. W. J. Haggith, Highlands United Church, Edmonton.

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 24

THE SEASON'S GREETINGS

To all its readers the Bulletin takes the opportunity to extend the age-old wish that the Christmas time may be one of happiness and contentment, of plenty and of hope.

THE ALTERNATIVE

Senator Johnson of California thinks President Hoover's debt-moratorium was the first step toward dictatorship. But a refusal of the moratorium would have been the last step toward European bankruptcy. Had the extension of time not been granted, Germany would have defaulted, the creditors of Germany would have done the same, and the United States would now be searching among the debris for a hope of getting back its war debts and commercial loans.

The chances of collecting either are none too bright as matters stand. The chance of collecting both at full value is nil. But what hope there is of getting part payment depends upon the willingness of the ultimate creditor to deal with the debtors as a wholesaler deals with a merchant who cannot pay his bills but may some day be able to pay a percentage of them.

CANADA HAS LED THE WAY

Representatives of Canadian universities presented Premier Bennett with a petition in which 10,000 students urge world disarmament. In reply the Premier properly drew attention to the fact that so far as Canada is concerned disarmament is already an accomplished fact. We have only enough land forces to ensure the preservation of peace and order, and only enough war vessels to keep our coasts clear of pirates and poachers.

That of course is not a reason why Canadians should not favor general disarmament—meaning reduction to reasonable requirements—nor why they should refrain from urging the matter. On the contrary, it is a strong reason why they should want other countries to disarm and why they should say so at Geneva.

Canadians at least have the advantage of being able to say that their disarmament preaching accords with their practice. And our representatives at the coming conference would also be within the truth if they stated that unless there is a general reduction of armament, Canada and other parts of the British Empire will have to look more closely to their defences than they have been doing or want to do.

SHOULD BORROW AT HOME

Premier Henry of Ontario announces that his Government will float the next loan in Canada. It is safe to assume that the other provincial governments will adopt the same policy, and that if New York does any more financing for the Canadian provinces it will have to agree in advance to take payment in Canadian dollars at par value. To borrow there in future without such provision would be an outrage upon Canadian taxpayers.

As to whether Canada can finance its public requirements, there is fortunately no room for doubt. The deposits in the savings banks are going up steadily and rapidly, even in these depressed times. When governments have asked for loans they have got them. There is available in Canada quite all the money our governments and municipal councils—are entitled to borrow, or should be allowed to borrow.

If New York wants any more Canadian public bonds it should be made to pay for them by disgorging some of the dollar it is now collecting from the Canadian dollar, and also made to agree to accept our dollars at par when interest or principal payments are due.

SEEING THE LIGHT

Senator Kean of New Jersey proposed to the United States Senate that a treaty be negotiated with Canada for the purpose of raising the Canadian dollar to par in the United States and maintaining it at par.

That at any time would be a remarkable proposal. Suggested at the present time it will no doubt convince some gentlemen in Wall Street that the Senator is badly in need of the services of an alienist. From their point of view buying dollars at eighty cents each is too profitable a business to be monkeyed with.

That anything will come of the scheme is doubtful. But there is a large significance in the fact that it has been made. There apparently is one man in the Senate who can see farther than the end of his nose, and who understands that hi-jacking the Canadian dollar is one of the best ways discovered or discoverable to kill Canadian buying in the United States. Perhaps he also notes that the depreciated dollar is helping to sell Canadian goods in the Republic, and that the balance of trade is swinging in favor of the Dominion. Likewise, that Canadian governments and cities which have borrowed money in the United States in the past are now being given a very convincing proof of their folly, and are likely to do their financing at home in the future.

The notion that Canada is the only party to suffer because New York financiers see fit to plunder their Canadian customers is a long way from the truth. The farther they fling their depredations now the less chance they will have of ever doing it again, the worse for the United States export trade, and the better for Canada's export trade to the United States.

Senator Kean may not get his treaty, but he is seeing daylight, while the Wall Street shysters can see nothing but the chance to fatten their purses at the ultimate expense of their country and their countrymen.

Forty Years Ago

From the Files of the Edmonton Bulletin

The Regina Leader has an article based on the agitation at Edmonton for lower freight rates to the Pacific coast, and argue that because the farmers at Edmonton want their grain carried westward more cheaply is a reason that emigrants should not go farther west than Regina, the inference being that Regina farmers are perfectly satisfied with the rates they pay eastward. It may not be out of place to point out just at this juncture that the proprietor and editorial manager of the Regina Leader is a member of parliament who aspires to a position in the cabinet as the representative not only of the Regina district but of the whole western Assiniboia, not only of the whole of western Assiniboia, but the whole territories, and not only of the whole territories but of Manitoba and British Columbia as well, and that he, instead of using the influence he now possesses in parliament, through his paper, to remove any disadvantages under which a certain part of the country may labor he seizes upon the opportunity to belittle and decry the locality so injuriously affected, no doubt believing that he can thereby aggrandize his own particular locality, but in reality injuring the whole Northwest. With all his faults and failings the present minister could never be accused of such conduct as that.

THIRTY YEARS AGO

Telegraphic:—

DeWitt had a four hour fight at Langberg with Dartnell's and Campbell's commands.

Australia has been asked for another 1000 men for South Africa.

Officers for the 3rd Canadian Mounted Infantry have been approved by the department of militia. Col. T. D. B. Evans, C.B., is the officer commanding.

Marconi is to spend a week at Ottawa, the guest of the Dominion government. He is to project a wireless signal system to ensure the safety of the St. Lawrence waterway.

J. D. Flavelle of Lindsay will bring a rink to the Winnipeg bonspiel.

Sarah Bernhardt has been invited to give exhibitions at Aldershot.

TWENTY YEARS AGO

The street railway had a loss of $34,000 for the year. The wet weather, which increased the cost of maintaining the unballasted track, is blamed for the loss.

There are now 11101 buffalo in the Dominion parks.

Ottawa.—Application is being made to parliament for a charter for a railway from Churchill to Lake Athabaska.

St. Petersburg.—A bill has been introduced in the Duma by the dominant party which would provide for making tariff war schedules applicable to goods from the United States. This is taken as Russia's reply to the note from Washington cancelling the treaty of 1832.

TEN YEARS AGO

January 5th has been set as the date when train service will start on the twenty-five mile extension of the E.D. and B.C. line to Bergen.

Washington.—France and Italy have formally accepted the proposal for limitation of capital ships to 175,000 tons for each of these countries.

London.—The supreme council at the coming meeting at Cannes will tackle the question of the rehabilitation of central Europe and Russia.

The First Christmas Eve

By EDGAR A. GUEST

Not the men of pomp and power,
Nor unto them of wordly fame,
Upon that holy midnight hour
The heavenly herald angels came.
But to the shepherds far away,
Who watched their little flocks afield
As dawned the first glad Christmas Day,
The star of Bethlehem was revealed.

Was it by chance or by design
That men of simple faith should be
Selected by the will divine,
The first to hear, the first to see?
Within that inn where Christ was born
Wise leaders slept the whole night through,
Nor did they know upon the morn
What Mary and the shepherds knew.

Night and the stars and silent hills,
And the broad spaces where they plod,
And the long hours reflection fills,
Draw shepherds very near to God.
So unto them the angel came
Upon that wondrous Christmas Eve
Because, unspoiled by wealth or fame,
In miracles they could believe.

Calgary Herald:—The Quebec budget announces a surplus in ordinary receipts over expenditures for the past year of $776,715. The estimated surplus for the present fiscal year ending June 30 next is $187,290. This announcement is worth placing in a scrapbook. Similar announcements will be few and far between during the next six months.

Victoria Times:—If the "united effort" of which the Prime Minister spoke in London the other day is made the guiding spirit of the next conference, if the principle of give-and-take is recognized in its fullest implication, Canada and the rest of the Dominions ought to profit considerably.

Bridge . . . By Webster

Christmas 1931

By GLENN FRANK

Once again the world around men and women and children celebrate the deathless power of the carpenter-prophet who has changed the face of history by the clarity of his insight and the contagion of his spirit.

He came, as he asserted, that man-kind might have life and that they might have it more abundantly.

He was ever concerned with the meeting and mastering of human need.

Sometimes it was a matter of filling empty bellies, and sometime a matter of filling empty hearts.

He was not above meeting the very material need of hunger, as witness one of the most illuminating tales that cluster about his memory—the story of The Feeding of the Five Thousand.

This tale carries its meaning to us even if the skeptic declines to accept it in all literalness.

And I suspect we cannot better celebrate this Christmas of 1931 than by buckling down to the job of reversing this miracle of the loaves and fishes.

This prophet out of Nazareth faced the problem of feeding the same sort of food available for the hungry thousands.

We face no such problem.

We are in the midst of the paradoxical process of strangulation by surplus, whereas he faced the problem of starvation by deficiency.

His was a problem of mastering want.

Ours is a problem of managing plenty.

Will I seem irreverent if I say that the miracle of the loaves and fishes was a problem of production while ours is a problem of distribution?

I hope we shall this year, as in other years, lift our eyes to the stars, fill the crisp air with high-hearted carols, and partake of the sacrament of remembrance of others.

But I think this Christmas in particular invites us to remember that we are celebrating the memory of a mighty spirit that saw the provision of abundant life for mankind—for all mankind—as the supreme problem.

If this conception of the peculiar appeal of this Christmas season intimates us, we shall enter 1932 with a realization that the challenge to economic statesmanship that the times throw up is a challenge to spiritual militancy, not a mere achievement of a favorable balance sheet.

Be Thankful

By J. J. MUNDY

If you have a fair job and remuneration is steady, be thankful.

Perhaps you do have to work harder to earn it these days.

Some of the work which used to be done by others may have been added to your job, but what of it?

In some instances it may be true that men are imposed upon in the name of present depression, and compelled to do more than their share.

Notwithstanding, you should still consider yourself lucky to have work.

Thousands of men who are just as capable as you would be pleased to accept your place and would consider themselves lucky to have such a job.

It is true that every man should be provided with the opportunity to work for a living and they should not be required to do more than a fair amount of work in order to earn it.

But exceptional conditions have made this impossible.

Output must be curtailed, if it can't be sold, with decrease in labor required, hence the difficulty in finding employment.

In times like this the man who gets work of any kind should rejoice.

He should put forth his best efforts to be worthy of the place, and do it happily.

OLD COUNTRY INVITES OUR SCOUTS

In connection with the next world gathering of Boy Scouts, to be held in Hungary in 1933, a cordial invitation has been extended all Dominion contingents to visit the Old Country before or after the Jamboree.

Health and Diet Advice

By DR. FRANK McCOY

BAKING POWDER

Baking powder is a compound used in place of yeast in which an acid acting upon an alkali generates carbon dioxide gas and thus causes the dough to rise. In most powders this action begins to take place as soon as the powder is moistened. For this reason any liquid added is generally added toward the last of the mixing process. It is for this reason also that the well known warning, "Never place a wet spoon in this powder," has been printed on millions of cans.

All powders carry a starch filler which is necessary in order to absorb atmospheric moisture. Cornstarch is used most commonly. Without this addition of the starch filler it would be possible to use only newly manufactured baking powders. This is practically impossible from a commercial and distributing standpoint.

In America we use over three hundred tons of baking powder each day. There are four different types of baking powder in common use. The most expensive baking powder is usually the one made from tartaric powder in which cream of tartar or tartaric acid is the acid used. Then there are the alum powders in which alum sulphate is the acid generally employed; the phosphate powders and those called alum phosphate powders. The latter baking powder is probably used more than any other, possibly because of its cheaper price.

There has been a good deal of bitter argument between the various baking powder manufacturers about the value of their products, one manufacturer claiming that other baking powders are more harmful than his own. For instance, the cream of tartar manufacturer holds that sodium aluminum sulphate is injurious, while the manufacturers of the alum and phosphate baking powders claim that the cream of tartar powders leave a residue of Rochelle salts.

It is undoubtedly true that the use of any of the present day baking powders introduces into the alimentary tract a residue of different kinds of saline cathartics. In my opinion, the use of a reasonable amount of baking powder of any make is not injurious to any great extent. So many palatable and nutritious foods can be prepared with the use of small amounts of baking powder that it keeps our diet far more interesting and in this way we use good foods which we otherwise might avoid.

The public is fairly well protected by the Pure Food Laws against the manufacturers who for commercial reasons alone would be injurious ingredients in making baking powder.

Those who are following the advice in these articles know that I recommend the use of wholewheat flour in making bread, muffins, cakes, waffles, pancakes, etc. It is very difficult to make any of these articles of food without using a small amount of baking powder to create a lightness which comes from the generation of the carbon dioxide gas. My readers will find that they can make a very tasty pancake of waffle through making a batter of wholewheat flour, eggs, and milk, and adding a small amount of baking powder. The section of the baking powder and egg will be sufficient to puff up the whole-wheat enough so that it can be thoroughly cooked through. If they finely pulverized stone ground whole-wheat flour is used, the waffle or pancake can be made just as light as that made with white flour, but do not try to make them without using a little baking powder.

DR. McCOY

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Pellagra—Deficiency Disease

Question: Mrs. Oliver M. writes: "I have been troubled with pellagra for several years. I am exceedingly nervous and unable to work, and therefore I never seem to have enough money to commit a good doctor. Is there anything I could do to help myself?"

Answer: First take an acid fruit fast for a few days, then live on the well-balanced menu outlined every Friday in this column. These menus will correct your trouble after you have taken a fruit fast. Stop using corn meal or other flours from which the bran and germ have been extracted. Pellagra is a deficiency disease caused by a lack of vitamin B2 or G, which is absent in devitalized foods. More fresh meats and green vegetables are necessary. Yeast has also been found helpful in overcoming pellagra.

Talks in Sleep

Question: P. L. G. writes: "I have been told that I talk in my sleep a great deal; in fact, once in a while I wake myself up by saying something. What is the cause of this?"

Answer: Talking in the sleep is caused by one being middling between sleep and waking. In this condition you are liable to speak the thoughts going on in the subconscious mind. This trouble is usually brought on by gas on the stomach or other digestive disorders which prevent sound sleep.

Tight Feeling in Back

Question: Henry B. asks: "What is the cause of a tight, heavy feeling across the lower portion of the back below the waist line? This condition is more noticeable upon awakening in the morning."

Answer: You may have some form of lumbago or rheumatism of the lower spine or you may be simply in a bad position which strains the muscles of the lower back. Rather tender muscles sometimes produce a similar sensation.

On This Date

DECEMBER 24TH

Death of William Makepeace Thackeray, December 24, 1863. Thackeray died on the Eve of Christmas. Justin McCarthy has written that the news eclipsed the Christmas gaiety of nations. The remark was probably a little exaggerated, but there is no doubt that, when the sad news swept over the world, it arrived as a shock to festive gatherings. He was comparatively young, and his death was sudden, he being found lastingly asleep in his bed in the early morning. With a visionary idea of what he might have accomplished in literature had he lived, it might be conceived that his died too soon, but there is much in McCarthy's remark that if he did so it was only too soon for his family and his friends. "He could hardly with our length of years have added a cubit to his literary stature." He had established himself in the very foremost rank of English fiction. He stood shoulder to shoulder with his great contemporary Dickens. Like Dickens, he possessed the faculty of making his characters live. He, in fact, loved them as real beings. Most people who read "The Newcomes" engender a great affection for the lovable Colonel. His death is described by a master hand with a power that is disturbing. Thackeray himself came from his study, it is written, in tears—"I have killed Colonel Newcome," he said. Despite his fame, however, it cannot be said that he shared public estimation with Dickens. Dickens was always far ahead of him in popular-

DR. J. JASTROW

Keeping Mentally Fit

By JOSEPH JASTROW, A.B., A.M., Ph.D., LL.D.

"As you know, New York City is infested with psychic cults, fads, schools and groups, among the members of which are individuals calling themselves divine scientists, mental healers, character analysts and psychologists of one kind or another. Among these charlatans or fanatics, one advertised herself as a mental psychologist, if you please. How much of this is legally permissible?" F. A. C.

This correspondent touches upon an important problem which in my opinion will not be satisfactorily settled until State legislatures enact stringent laws and appoint commissions with ample powers to administer them.

Who shall give expert advice and take pay for it, either directly or indirectly? The medical profession has been fighting charlatans for long generations and it began by putting its own house in order. The quacks still thrive despite the constant vigilance of the American Medical Association; only the boldest of them are caught and sentenced.

The situation is far more difficult for mental healing which shades over into advice not directly concerning cure but the relief of handicaps, the attainment of success, the solution of problems. From there it passes over to endless forms of gross misinformation and crude superstition masquerading as science. They all give advice. It would keep a commission busy to keep down the army of the quacks who prey upon ignorance.

My correspondent asks: Who is legally entitled to practice psychotherapy or mental healing? Who may advertise himself as a psychologist? What degree must he have and where does he get them? In New York state psychologists may obtain a license to practice under certain conditions. The New York City "Red Book" lists about twenty names under this head, including high-grade responsible experts and some dubious practitioners. How many hold a state license I do not know.

The whole matter is in a chaotic condition; and it is easy to avoid any legal difficulty by giving a system a special name or calling it a special course in "practical metaphysics" or "soul lore" or "success." And there are the astrologers of all sorts. It is wholly impossible to protect the public from any but the grossest frauds. The old business saying has it: Caveat emptor! Let the buyer beware! You buy advice at your own risk. Now and then a flagrant fake is exposed; but soon he does business at another stand.

As a question of public policy something should be done about it. The standard method is by issuing licenses, permits and inspection; eternal vigilance is the price of safety. If we were as keen about reducing the hazards of quack psychological advice as we are about reducing fire hazards or infection hazards, we should long ago have instituted some machinery to control psychic fakes. The machinery must inevitably be political in form; it must be scientific in spirit. The cause of mental fitness requires it.

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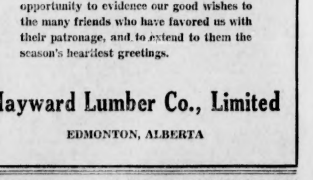

Merry Christmas

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Famous Canadian Contest Ends With Prize Coin Divided

Bulletin's Mental Test Proves Enigmatic For Average and No All-Correct Answers Are Received

WELL, it's over, The Bulletin's big Famous Canadians contest. And was it hard? Well listen to this. Of over two thousand competitors who sent in their answers to The Bulletin not one had the whole fifty famous Canadians named right.

As a matter of fact the nearest approach was 46 right, and the place of honor was shared by Mrs. Stella Watson of Rumsey, Alberta, and Howard A. Scott of 10223 134th Street, Edmonton. As a result they are both $25 richer today, the first prize of $50 being divided between them.

Second prize of $15 went to Miss Winnie Wilson of Rumsey, who had only five names wrong, while third prize of $10 fell to W. P. Rourke of 11238 91 street, Edmonton, who had six names wrong.

FIVE PRIZES, $5 EACH

The remaining five prizes of $5 each went to N. P. Killips of 12135 95th street; Mrs. W. F. White of Stettler; Mrs. A. T. Livingstone of 10824 79th Ave., Edmonton; Mrs. D. Shepherd of Box 13 Rumsey, Alberta, and J. Dunnigan of 9220 110th avenue, Edmonton.

It's a little late for Christmas but cheques are going forward today and they'll be in time for that big New Year's celebration.

And in case any competitor wants to check up on his list, and The Bulletin knows that every one who entered wants to see what the correct answers were, they are given below.

But if you ask the Contest Editor just why the majority of the prizes were split between Edmonton and Rumsey the answer must be, "You tell me; I don't know!"

HERE ARE RIGHT ANSWERS

Anyway, here's the right answers. Check up your list:—

1. Laurier.
2. Bennett.
3. Dentinq.
4. Leacock.
5. Beatty.
6. King.
7. Lampman.
8. Beaverbrook.
9. Grant.
10. Montcalm.
11. Fisher.
12. Cook.
13. Barker.
14. Tolmie.
15. Heming.
16. Metcalf.
17. Knox.
18. Baldwin.
19. Bishop.
20. Talon.
21. Richardson.
22. Haviland.
23. Wrong.
24. Secord.
25. Carman.
26. Rowell.
27. Pepe.
28. Carrie.
29. Colborne.
30. Papineau.
31. Service.
32. Monck.
33. Greenwood.
34. Wolfe.
35. Van Horne.
36. Selkirk.
37. Palmer.
38. Howe.
39. Derby.
40. Bell.
41. Cartier.
42. Hughes.
43. Flowerdew.
44. Riel.
45. Mowat.
46. Thompson.
47. Pepperall.
48. Best.
49. Anglin.
50. Dunning.

Busby Pair Fete Golden Anniversary

Relative to Remember Bulletin

BUSBY, Alta., Dec. 24—The home of Mr. and Mrs. Walton was the scene of a large gathering last night it being their golden wedding anniversary.

The bride and groom of 50 years ago were married by Rev. Jas. Ross of Harwood, Ontario, living at Harwood ten years thru moving west lived six years in Winnipeg and 34 years in Alberta.

A sumptuous dinner was given at 4 p.m. to the immediate relatives including their sons, Dr. Walton and wife of Stony Plain; F. H. Walton and wife of Port Saskatchewan also their only daughter Mrs. L. A. Rathoon and grandchild of Longview, Washington. Mrs. Walton's sister Mrs. Irwin of Calgary.

From seven to ten p.m. over seventy Busby friends called to wish them hearty congratulations and enjoy a cup of tea and dainty refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. Walton were the recipients of much good; also a beautiful bunch of red roses given by the Ladies' Aid of the United church.

OXFORD UNIVERSITY ROVERS

During the summer's hop picking in Kent, Oxford University Rover Scouts erected a temporary chapel, surgery and canteen, and staffed them for the benefit of pickers.

Drumheller Cut Off Further Relief

DRUMHELLER, Alta., Dec. 24—The city of Drumheller will not receive any further appropriation for relief work under the Dominion government scheme unless an emergency arises, despite the request for a $60,000 appropriation for waterworks and sidewalk improvements which was filed with the provincial government upon request of Premier J. E. Brownlee.

In a wire received by Mayor A. P. Hanley, the Alberta premier stated that as the city had demanded the approval of the full sixty thousand or none at all it was now impossible to get the Dominion concent to any additional amounts.

LADIES' AID ANNUAL

Busby, Alta., Dec. 24—The Ladies' Aid of the United church held their annual meeting at the home of Mrs. W. May on Wednesday last when all officers for coming year were elected. Mrs. Grey, president; Mrs. Harris, vice-pres.; Mrs. Williams, secretary. Light refreshments were served by the hostess.

MORE ABOUT TODAY CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE

that Japan had real cause for complaint in that matter.

Count Witte, from Russia, bamboozled this country almost as completely as Balfour did later.

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A DISASTER, affecting the whole world is the collapse of the Vatican library. The heavy roof, with its masses of lead, carried with it the two floors below. 100,000 precious volumes, priceless manuscripts of great antiquity, may not yet completely classified or translated, and magnificent works of art.

Few are killed, although, fortunately, the library had been closed for the day. They can be replaced. human life being the cheapest product of our civilization. But the books and other treasures, if destroyed, can never be duplicated.

The library, installed in its present premises by Pope Sixtus, the Fourth, nearly 350 years ago, has been open to students of all nations, under many Popes, as an inexhaustible field of original research.

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THE name of Hitler may be remembered with gratitude, in Germany, even though his active life should be limited to talking.

France, it is said, is prepared to make great concessions to Germany, even cutting down annual payments of many billions. Justice or represe has nothing to do with it. Fear what Hitler might do, if he came in power, and fear that too much pressure might make Germany turn to Hitler Fascism moves France.

It is not that France fears Germany, disarmed at the mercy of the gigantic French fleet, but that Hitler would mean revolution, and revolution would mean no German money for France.

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MR. HURLEY, Secretary of Wa will tell President Hoover that the Philippines are not yet ready, economically, for independence. We must hold on to them, for a while, until they learn to govern themselves.

The question is, also, is the United States ready "economically," to "baby" the Philippines along, financing them, giving them access to our sugar and labor markets without restriction, or tariff, and letting them go, when they choose to say "Get out, we know how to walk alone now."

American economy should also have consideration.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Special Meeting of Workmen's Compensation Committee

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the Special Committee appointed by the Government of the Province of Alberta, following a resolution passed at the last session of the Alberta Legislative Assembly, to consider the subject of Workmen's Compensation, will be held on Tuesday, the Fifth day of January, 1932, at the hour of 10 a.m. in the Council Chamber, Government Buildings, Edmonton.

Any organization or group of persons desiring to make representations to the Committee, must forwarded copies of their case to the Secretary of the Committee, not later than Friday, January First, 1932, and must state at the same time if in their intention to appear before the Committee.

It must be understood that the matters dealt with must be of a general nature, and not with relation to individual grievances, except insofar as such individual case may indicate necessity for change.

Those appearing before the Committee can only deal with their written statements as previously presented to the Committee.

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GEMS OF PERIL

By HAZEL ROSS HAILEY

CHAPTER XLVII

THEY were sitting on the edge of Mary's bed, arms about each other, grinning foolishly but happily at each other. Not all the dampness that glittered on their cheeks was caused by the rain. Mary found that sometimes it was harder to bear happiness than its absence.

She plucked an infinitesimal handkerchief out of her pyjama pocket and blew her nose vigorously.

"Happy?" Dirk asked gently.

"Terribly happy!"

"It's been a long time!" It was their old joke, but instead of laughing they were suddenly more serious than they had ever been with each other. Quickly, breathlessly, they kissed and clung as if they would never let go.

"Oh, why were you so cruel?" Mary asked when she could manage to speak. "It was awful—I thought I couldn't live and bear it, for you to think those things of me—"

Dirk put his hand over her mouth. "Don't!" he begged. "I was just a jealous fool, that's all! I ever dreamed you could be right about that other terrible thing—a little sweet redhead like you—" He muzzed her hair gently with his big hand. "You were right, though! I want you to know it. I'm eating humble pie, honey, and liking it."

"No, you mustn't!" They both laughed at the feminine inconsistency, and then began to consider getting the invalid downstairs again. When this had been accomplished, with one of Dirk's arms about Mary's shoulder and the other about Bates, they still found themselves loath to part.

"I've got to be papa here and look after you two brats," Bates decided. "Mary, get along to your room or I'll use the old slipper!"

"But I couldn't sleep!"

"Lie there and counk sheep then. You don't want to be asleep tomorrow when we bring back The Fly, do you?"

"You're going over?"

"At gun-up."

"But—he may shoot you!"

"We'll take the chance. If he knows what's good for him, he'll come along peacably. That's a horrible hole he's taken refuge in. I doubt if there's a drop of fresh water. If the sun comes up hot again tomorrow he'll know what hell is!"

"Dirk, did he get the gun—and the chloroform?"

"The gun was his own. I got it back from the Ambassador's house detective who took it from him, and have been keeping it in my room initately. But I've got my own and yesterday I persuaded Mr. Jupiter he ought to keep one handy. He had it lying on his table, but some time yesterday it disappeared. The door was locked. Either De Loma had a skeleton key and walked in and filched it—he could see it plainly through the keyhole—or he snagged it through the open portholo. It could be done easy enough with a bent wire.

"Anyway, Bruce has got a .38 slug in him and the gun in question was a .38, so it's reasonable to suppose it's the gun that De Loma stole."

"But the chloroform? And where did Bruce get his gun? I didn't know he had one."

"Neither did I. I must take a look at it. The chloroform came out of the captain's medicine chest."

When the lovers had finally parted, Dirk took Mary to her room. He confided that the radio had responded to Captain Hendrick's attentions, and that he had gotten through to Key West at last. A tug with a doctor aboard was speeding to their aid and should arrive before noon.

"I haven't seen Louise about. She couldn't have been very anxious about Bruce or she would have stayed with him, wouldn't she?"

"She's standing over by the port rail, staring at the prison," Bates said. "She started crying, wanting to know if he was dead, and I told her no he'd recover. I thought she meant Bruce. She said it was De Loma she meant. Well, you could knock me over with a feather!"

"He's her husband," Mary told him. "She hates him, but—she loves him, too. Once I wouldn't have understood how such a thing could be. But these last weeks, I've learned a few things."

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"There was little sleep for anyone on board the Gryan the rest of the night. Dawn found them all dressed and roaming the deck, watching anxiously for the wisp of smoke on the horizon that would herald the arrival of the tug—and deliverance.

Mindful of what had been told her about the old prison and its sorry state, Mary found it impossible not to speculate about The Fly and what had happened to him. The prison itself presented as blank and guarded a face as ever. There was no sign of life in any of its staring, sightless windows. It was possible The Fly had rested there a short time and then gotten back into his boat and rowed to the next key. The small jutting tips of land called the Florida keys are so close together that it is a fairly simple matter to row from one to another. Most of them are barren wastes, with only birds and lizards for inhabitants. There is not the about of a bit of shelter on many of them, and unless De Loma had thought to carry a can of fresh water with him, he would be without any until he reached Key West.

Louise had tried to bribe a sailor to lower the lifeboat and take her to the fort but her beauty and tears and hoarse voice so alarmed him that he bolted without making any reply. Hooded in a great cape like a nun, she paced the deck like a hungry tigress . . . and was avoided as such. Mary, with her own love warm and safe, felt pity for her, unwillingly.

Suddenly Mary heard her give a glad cry, and saw her train her glasses on the prison. The girl did likewise and saw a figure crawling along the top of the wall, waving something that looked like a flag. The Fly had been sighted and everyone rushed to that side of the deck. The man had risen to his feet and was stumbling along, waving his arms frantically. To whom was he signalling?

At almost the same moment the quiet voice of the sailor on watch reported the smoke of the approaching tug on the eastern horizon. It must appear conclusive to De Loma that the tug was signalling, unaware that it was speeding to the aid of the "Gryan." The plume of smoke grew rapidly.

It was like being the audience at a two-ring circus. The excited ones on board the yacht turned their glasses first one to Bruce and on the tug. Suddenly a cry went up from several throats at once—"He's gone! My God, he's fallen!"

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Those who were watching at the precise moment of the accident were divided in their stories of what had happened. Some were maintained that the man's foot had slipped; he had clung to the railing trying to save himself, and dropped, unable to cling to the slippery stone. He also maintained, somewhat loudly, that the man was certainly dead. Something that might be his body lay at the foot of the gray walls on the rocks, half in and half out of the sea.

Captain Hendricks advanced the idea that, hopeless of attracting the tug's attention, De Loma had deliberately jumped.

"He knew what was ahead of him in the way of thirst—he's no stranger to this part of the country," the captain surmised.

Only one stood silent, tearless, offering no suggestion whatever. Louise. Slowly she put up her hands before her face, and stood with bent head. Mary, her head lost in Dirk's as he sat beside her in a deck chair, looked half sick from the sight of the other woman's grief. It came to her how she would feel if it had been Dirk.

Half an hour later the tug came as close as possible to the stranded yacht and stopped just off the reef in the free channel. A small boat was lowered and a doctor sent over. While the medical man was with Bruce, Bates and a strong-armed sailor had were dispatched in the tug's dory to bring back The Fly, alive or dead.

They rowed the half-mile to Fort Jefferson and soon returned with the crumpled body of The Fly in the boat. Mary shrank away from the sight, and the sound of Bates' cheerful voice sickened her, as he bellowed up to his employer, grim and white-faced, leaning over the rail.

"Here she is, sir!" He held up the ruby necklace—looking like drops of heart's blood in the early morning sun. Mr. Jupiter nodded, but there was no triumph or even pleasure in his face.

"Does he live?" he asked in a low voice as De Loma was carried up the deck and laid on the bed in his room.

Bates nodded. "Crazy in one head," he said softly. "Keeps talking about the sun setting in his eyes. What does he mean by that? The sun wasn't up till just a little while ago."

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The doctor came out of Bruce's cabin, and greeted the assemblage with the false cheerfulness of those who are not directly concerned in a tragedy. "Your son will live," he told Mr. Jupiter, "but he must be gotten to a hospital immediately. This heat . . . something might happen to the wound . . .

Mr. Jupiter looked like a man reprieved from death.

"Here," he said, "there's another job for you," and led the surprized doctor to De Loma's stateroom. This time the musical man did not even protend with them.

"The man's all broken to pieces inside," he said. "He's got a bullet wound besides. My God, what happened to him? If he has any people here, call them. He's likely to go at any minute."

But it was not Louise who was called first. Bates, enlisting a whitelipped Mary with pad and pencil in hand to take down the dying man's words, was given a little time alone with him first. Half an hour later they came out. Mary was white and shaking and Bates, stepping out outside, drew her down to him and put a strong arm about her just in time to prevent her collapsing.

"He did it!" she sobbed. "He killed them both!"

"He made Eddie telephone me and say he was coming over, then he put on Eddie's coat and stole in his place. Eddie was locked in, with the other man guarding him, but he got away. That was when he called you, and he hid somewhere. They looked for him in the car but didn't see him until just as he was crossing the street to meet me."

Dirk patted her shoulder reassuringly. Mr. Jupiter jerked about abruptly and walked to the rail, dropping his head in his hands.

When she was quieter, Mary lifted her head and asked hashfully:

"Do you think Eddie knows that we know he didn't do it? I mean, for God forgive me, I've never been really sure until now!" She buried her head again for a moment, and this time it was the dry, hard sob of shame that shook her. "I'm a liar and a cheat. It wasn't the world I was proving Eddie's innocence to—it was myself! All the time I was blaming you, I was as bad as you were."

Dirk held her hards tightly and said, "Listen. You've forgiven me a lot of stupidiness because you love me. Don't you think Eddie could think the same for you?"

Presently she dropped her head and kissed him. Love and gratitude were both in her kiss.

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Wheat Panic Is Definitely Near End, Saskatchewan Expert Declares

ECONOMICS PROFESSOR IS OPTIMIST

Says Real Reason for Extent of Price Drop Never Existed

Canadian Press

TORONTO, Dec. 24.—"The world's wheat panic is ending—or has ended," says Dr. W. W. Swanson, professor of economics at University of Saskatchewan. "Wheat prices are rising because there never existed any reason for them falling as fast and as far as they did."

These assertions by the man who accompanied Prime Minister R. B. Bennett to the last Imperial conference as an expert technical adviser are contained in his pubication "Depression—And the Way Out." A pre-publication review of the book, published today by the Toronto Mail and Empire, says further, in part:

"Wheat is the economic factor of prime importance in the affairs of the world; it is the stable foodstuff of the occidental nations; it is grown the world over; it is the chief commodity in value, that enters into international commerce. It is the chief commodity, in ton miles of movement of the world's transportation. It is the source of the buying power of the most important groups of primary producers in every land the world over, and most of the wheat which entered into international trade is produced by farmers of the type of those in Canada, the United States, and Australia, who are most important factor as consumers of purchased goods and services.

"Therefore wheat, in the view of Dr. Swanson, "is the key of the world's primary economics—and in price it has suffered more in the general depression than any other commodity, security or service, except sugar. In Canada, wheat has been the victim, not the cause, of depression. Part of this has been due to economic conditions—and more if it is due to amateur economists finding voice in the press, the radio, the markets, and in popular fear and belief."

Woman Dies As Quiz Starts On Apartment Brawl

Canadian Press

TORONTO, Dec. 24.—Persisting to the end that her injuries were received when she was struck by a motor car, Mrs. Lydia Stubbs, 38, died here Wednesday in the hospital to which she was taken in critical condition last Sunday. Doctors said her injuries could not have been received in a motor accident. Pressed for details, Mrs. Stubbs once declared the accident occurred at D'Arcy and Queen streets, but these streets do not intersect.

Police investigating the case first questioned three men on a hazard vague tale of apartment brawls. The investigation will continue.

Head Of Great Fisheries Concern Commits Suicide

Associated Press

CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 24.—Knowlton L. Ames, Sr., head of the Booth Fisheries Company, shot himself to death last night in front of a north side hotel. He died soon after he had been rushed to hospital.

Col. Ames, whose son, Knowlton Ames, Jr., is publisher of the Chicago Journal of Commerce and the Chicago Evening Post, sent his chauffeur into a drug store of the hotel and shot himself as soon as the negro left the car, police said.

The negro was taken to police headquarters but was in a semi-hysterical condition and could throw no light on the affair.

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ed, "we will absolutely have no hesitation in eliminating them, regardless to what faction they may belong."

Although the communique did not mention the Chinese army at Chinchow, it was interpreted as being a final warning to Marshal Chang Hsueh-Liang's forces to withdraw within the great wall, and as signifying the beginning of a more intensive drive into southwest Manchuria.

Military reports revealed that while the drive to the south-west is being continued portions of the command to the north of Mukden, having completed their anti-bandit missions, have started returning to their original stations along the south Manchuria railway.

Last night's communique was silent regarding operations in the southwest, which were regarded as a military secret, but it was understood the troops were progressing over snow-covered plains, bound for the Liao river.

The headquarters' statement revealed that in fighting Tuesday morning 10 miles south of Pakumen the Japanese losses were three dead and three wounded while 100 Chinese were killed.

A Japanese armored train encountered 300 Chinese guerrillas 25 miles northwest of Antung, and the guerrillas fled after a brief conflict, leaving five dead and several wounded.

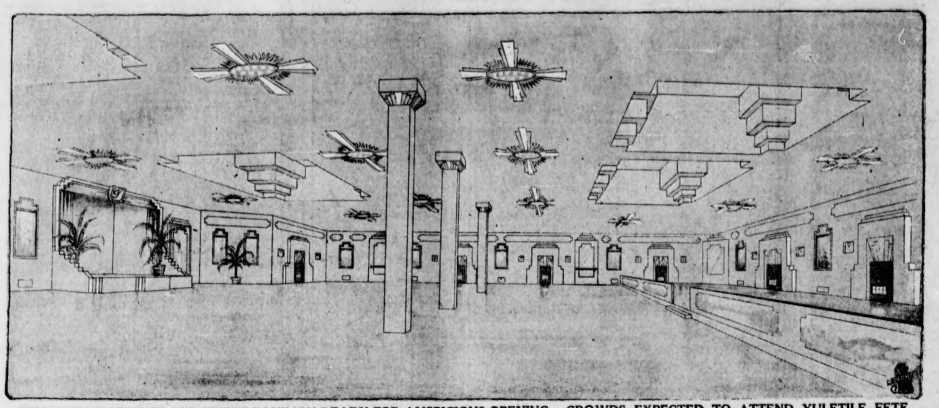
The headquarters' announcement concerning "bandit suppression" in the district west of the Liao was couched in stern terms. It declared that in that district there were 100,000 troops, including Chinese regulars—which means the Chinchow army.

PEIPING, Dec. 24.—A Japanese and a Chinese armored train waged a bitter battle last night near Yingkow, Manchuria, on the Yingkow-Kaopangtze railroad Wednesday.

Marshal Chang Hsueh-Liang's headquarters issued a communique saying a Japanese train with 60 troops aboard opened fire on their adversaries at Tienchuangtai, first station west of the Yingkow and Chinese returned the fire. It was emphasized that the Chinese were regular troops, not bandits.

The Japanese later withdrew and returned two hours later with a force of 500 artillerymen and infantrymen. They renewed the attack until evening when darkness prevented further hostilities.

Beautiful New Tivoli Salon to Open Christmas Night



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WILL RESUME WHEAT QUOTA NEGOTIATIONS

Sir John Gilmour to Call Joint Meeting of Millers and Farmers

By THOMAS T. CHAMPION
Canadian Press Staff Writer

LONDON, Dec. 24.—Sir John Gilmour, Minister of Agriculture, intends resuming negotiations regarding the proposed wheat quota immediately after the holidays, and will probably call a joint conference of millers, farmers and corn dealers' representatives.

The Yorkshire Post, a newspaper of especial significance in the agricultural world, says Sir John has agreed to give consideration to an alternative scheme submitted by the National Association of British and Irish Millers but adds it may be taken as certain the government has no intention of departing from the principle of the quota scheme as announced in the House of Commons.

MAINTAIN SECRECY

The millers are maintaining the strictest secrecy concerning the details of their alternative scheme but the Post says that from reports current in trade circles it would appear the millers' proposals are quite incompatible with the quota scheme the government has decided upon. A couple of days ago the London News-Chronicle asserted the millers wanted a duty of $1 a sack on all foreign flour.

Lt. Col. E. A. Ruggles-Brise, Conservative member of parliament, and an authority on agricultural matters, writes in the Conservative semi-political journal "Home and Empire," today: "Home-grown wheat could be progressively increased by 25 per cent. by 1936. Such an increase would bring 750,000 acres under the plough and give the country a total wheat area of about 2,000,000 acres.

"Once the proportions were fixed (wheat quota) scheme could be worked on behalf of the government through their own association. This by the millers themselves, operating would avoid any need of a new army of officials. A fair price would be given the British farmer for his wheat without any material rise in bread prices."

Bombardment Of Railroad Ties On Subway Injures 4

Associated Press

NEW YORK, N. Y., Dec. 24.—Nearly two score persons were injured, four so seriously that they may die, under a bombardment of railroad ties yesterday on a Brooklyn subway platform.

The ties, old ones picked up by a work crew, jolted loose from their moorings on a flat car as the work train thundered through the Newkirk avenue station. One eye-witness said women screamed and children were trampled as the crowd, with a wild rush movement, fell back in vain effort to escape the heavy timbers.

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mind to return to "The American attitude of isolation from the rest of the world and its affairs." All the speeches referred to the newspaper saw little understanding of the impossibility of such an attitude of isolation for a country directly involved as a trading and creditor nation of first importance in the world's economic misfortunes.

IMPORTANCE STRESSED

The Daily Mail's special correspondent at Basel cabled: "It would be impossible to exaggerate the importance of this report. It contains the considered report of eleven impartial financial experts of the great powers in the world, as to the manner present world economics should be handled."

In the view of the News Chronicle, the chief task of the Young plan committee was to demonstrate how to bridge the ever-widening gulf between huge claims which it held had no real relation to present-day conditions and facts which were daily becoming further removed from the world in which the reparation claims were formulated.

"The committee has done so," said the paper. It remains for creditor nations to act on the advice.

German Wheat Order Switched U.S. To Russia

Associated Press Cable

BERLIN, Dec. 24.—As a result of the Russo-German trade agreement signed today, 14,000,000 bushels of Russian grain will take the place of grain Germany had intended to purchase from the United States, the newspaper Morgenpost says today.

Germany has agreed to buy 400,000 tons of wheat, rye and barley, according to the Morgenpost. Opinion was expressed here that the agreement would react unfavorably on negotiations between Germany and the United States Farm Board over further purchases of wheat.

Veteran Militia Officer Is Dead

Canadian Press

FREDERICTON, N. B., Dec. 24.—Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas O. Loggie, 71, at one time deputy minister of lands and mines in the New Brunswick government and for the last 50 years prominent in the militia and other activities of the province, died here last night after an illness of three weeks. He took a sudden turn for the worse at the Victoria hospital last night.

His only living son, Lieut.-Col. Gerland Loggie, of Ottawa, is expected here today.

APPROPRIATION CUT

TORONTO, Dec. 24.—A reduction of $500,000 in expenditure during the new fiscal year is to be the contribution of the provincial department of agriculture towards the government's economy program, it was revealed Wednesday by Hon. T. L. Kennedy, minister of agriculture for Ontario. Last year the estimates for this department were $3,000,000, but this year they will be $2,500,000, "or even less."

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the 'relatively short depression' envisaged in the Young plan, to meet with the 'measures of safeguard' contained therein were designed."

The statement that Germany is taxed to the utmost, having no margin for increase.

The assertion that Germany is likely to recover from the business depression as are other nations, but "the German problem, which is largely responsible for the growing financial paralysis of the world, calls for concentrated action which the governments alone can take."

WITHOUT PARALLEL

The statement that the problem is world-wide and without any previous peacetime parallel.

The declaration that "action is mostly urgently needed in a much wider field than Germany alone."

An appeal to the governments to permit no delay in dealing with this great crisis which weighs so heavily on all alike."

These points were set forth in a summary prepared by Sir Walter Layton, British delegate, and Walter W. Stewart, U.S. member of the committee. They coincided with the German extract made public earlier in the day.

While refraining from specific recommendations, the document contained stronger language than had been expected here.

Commenting on the references to war debts, Mr. Stewart said that "in a broad way" they were contained in the communique issued last October by President Hoover and Premier Laval after their conversations in Washington.

SOME DISAPPOINTED

The majority of the delegates received disappointment that they were unable to write any definite recommendation into the report. The French and their supporters were pleased at having passed the question of what must be done over to the conference of governments that has been tentatively scheduled for some time in January.

Members of the majority expressed pleasure over the injection of numerous phrases which one of them interpreted as "A backhanded attempt upon the life of the Young plan but plain enough for a blind man to see."

All the delegates were fatigued after their labors of two weeks and a half. They started for home tonight, with the exception of Dr. Carl Melchior of Germany, Prof. Charles Rist of France and Alberto Beneduce, who stayed over to put out the full text of the report.

New Tivoli Salon to Open With Big Dance On Christmas Night

NEW GOLD STRIKE IS EXCITING B. C.

Uncovering of Rich Ore is Reported at Gd. Forks

Associated Press

GRAND FORKS, B.C. Dec. 24—Uncovering of ore running $75 to the ton on the Gold Drop mines in the Jewel camp is the most sensational find in Boundary district mining in recent years. Picked samples are said to have run much higher. Several samples brought to Grand Forks have large spots of free gold and assays have been running around $30.

The ore was found in a high grade sloot containing tellurides and free gold and is a parallel vein from which some 17 tons of ore running $30 to the ton was recently shipped.

The new find has been inspected by F. B. Freeland, government mining engineer, who states that ore of similar type has been found before in the district. There are four parallel quartz vein systems in the camp that suggest possibilities of a large operation.

Mosques Of Turks Etched By Snows As Noel Appears

By FRANK H. KING
Associated Press Staff Writer

LONDON, Dec. 24—A blizzard has paralyzed traffic on the Black Sea—the mosques of Turkey are etched with snow—and the whole European scene from icy Lapland to the luxurious Mediterranean shores is set for a good old-fashioned Christmas.

Storms which swept southward over the continent during the last week have in most countries left behind them the beauty and peace of snow-scapes after causing suffering by needy people and a series of minor shipwrecks.

Transport difficulties are reported from many districts in middle Europe where the snow has been particularly heavy. All over Scandinavia and Germany winter sportsmen rejoice over the snow and ice. In Cologne there have been 17 serious tobogganing accidents.

Large Dance Floor Has Accommodation for 1,050 Couples

One of the features of the Christmas season will be the opening of the new Tivoli salon, unquestionably this city's finest offering to Terpsichore. The official opening will take place on Christmas night and offers an easy solution to the problem of "where to go."

Situated on 102 street in the first block north of Jasper avenue, the Tivoli is a magnificent contribution to the increasing number of beautiful buildings here. The large dance floor will have accommodation for no fewer than 1,050 couples, while there is seating capacity for 135 persons at the tables located on the splendidly designed mezzanine floor, with accommodation for many more in the soda fountain section.

There will be no reserving of tables and no cover charge, thus insuring all who come an equal chance for a good time.

One of the most outstanding features of the Tivoli is the work of A. Rasmussen.

ARTISTIC PAINTINGS

This firm has been responsible for the artistic wall paintings, papering and decorating of the building.

A beautifully colored fresco of Ramona's birthplace greets the eye opposite the main entrance hall, while on walls all round, are paintings in panel and fresco representing vivid Spanish and Mexican scenes. Set in deep glassed recesses in the walls are beautiful panel paintings of mountain, rural and other scenes.

The background of the stage upon which musical programs will be staged is in the style of a Mexican ranch.

Deep sapphire of southern seas and skies is reproduced in the ceiling decorations, the lighting arrangements for which provide for three distinct different displays.

The Arrow Electric company has attended to the electrical features, while the J. C. Burger Lumber company supplied the stoneboard, the new fireproof wallboard as well as all interior finish, hardwood flooring, and modern square leg tables. Floor surfacing was done by George B. Bryson.

Trenton Studios Are On Market For Film Interests

Canadian Press

TORONTO, Dec. 27—Hon. E. A. Dunlop, provincial treasurer, Thursday said he had received an offer from motion picture interests anxious to purchase the governments motion picture studios at Trenton, Ont. He did not identify the interested parties.

Meanwhile Col. Charles H. Ackerman of Peterboro, Ont. denied reports that Canadian-born motion picture stars working at Hollywood, Calif., had been approached with a view to the formation of a Canadian motion picture industry. He said, however, that all British and Canadian stars employed in United States' companies might be asked to join a Canadian film enterprise.

Mr. Dunlop said the provincial government was willing to dispose of the Trenton studios for a suitable price, which he did not name.

BRITAIN WANTS BETTER GRADES OF BEEF STOCK

Canadian Shippers Warned Inferior Cattle Will Kill Market

Canadian Press

TORONTO, Dec. 24—Emphatic warning that Canadian shippers of indifferent-grade cattle will not only fail to secure satisfactory prices but will lose their British overseas market, was contained in a letter received Wednesday by Hon. Thomas L. Kennedy, minister of agriculture for Ontario, from Hon. G. Howard Ferguson, Canadian high commissioner to London.

"The classes of Canadian cattle that have been shipped and are still being shipped," says the memorandum which Mr. Ferguson has prepared for Ontario livestock breeders, "are not at all suitable to the market in this country. If the trade is to become regular and develop, it is essential that Canadian breeders and shippers should study the clear requirements of the market.

"It is too risky," the statement goes on, "to ship cattle at any and every time of the year and blindly trust a good market. The market must be studied, its requirements noted, and its methods of supply and capability of absorption at different seasons understood.

"If Canada could guarantee to supply the British market with a definite number of feeder cattle each year, and a definite number of beef cattle, the British government might do business and come to a reciprocal arrangement."

UNIT WINS CUP

GUELPH, Ont., Dec. 23.—Establishing a record which is believed without precedent in the artillery history of the Dominion, the 11th Field Brigade, Canadian Artillery, commanded by Lieut. Col. George A. Drew, won the Shaughnessy cup for brigade general efficiency in the Canadian Artillery Association competitions for the fourth time in five years, according to word received here today.

THE
MURAL PAINTINGS
By A. Rasmussen, and which have transformed the interior of the Tivoli into an art gallery, have been painted from actual scenes and famous tourist resorts. The names have been inscribed under each one, and many patrons will be charmed to recognize old familiar haunts and favorite beauty spots.
Mr. Rasmussen also designed, assembled and erected the Tivoli
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Grounds for Divorce

The Bulletin's Daily Short Story From Real Life

By DOROTHY BARNSLEY

PATRICIA glanced across the room at her husband and wondered how she would ever find courage to tell him. Poor Michael! It was going to be a terrible blow!

At least a dozen times she opened her mouth, and tried to start her confession, then closed it again and swallowed an unexpected lump in her throat.

"It's going to be a devilishly hard job to break the news to him," Barry had said. "Mike is such a decent sort!"

Yes, that was just the trouble. Michael was a decent sort. If he had been mean, or bad-tempered, or had beaten her, or refused to buy her hats, or even made sarcastic remarks about her bridge game, she would not have felt quite so badly about what she was going to do. As husbands go, Michael was quite a paragon.

"But of course he'll get over it!" Barry had added, hopefully.

Of course he would! He'd have to! But, come to think of it, would he? It was easy for Barry to say that. Barry hadn't lived with Mike for the best part of five years. Pictures flashed through Patricia's unhappy mind. She visualized Michael jumping from a tenth story window—Michael hanging himself by the cord of his purple bathrobe—Michael drinking iodine!

The Cast of Characters in "Grounds For Divorce"

PATRICIA, who longs for a divorce—She thinks she loves another man.

MICHAEL, the husband.

BARRY, whom Patricia thinks she loves.

GRETA, the thorn in Patricia's side.

WHY OF COURSE, LOVE JUST HAPPENS

"We can't help being in love with each other!" (This was Barry again, making a last attempt to appease their troubled consciences.) "Love is something that nobody can control. It just—just happens!"

Well, it had happened. And now what? Michael must be told at once. Their married life had been characterized by a delightful frankness. They had promised each other: "No secrets!" and had kept their bargain fairly well, up to the present. She must break the news to Michael, somehow, that she no longer loved him. But how—how?

"Patricia!" Michael's voice jerked her out of herself. He had turned in his chair. For the first time she noticed that his face was haggard. He was biting nervously at his cigar.

"Patricia! There's something I've got to speak to you about! It—It's not going to be very pleasant!"

In that moment she realized that she did not have to tell him of her plans. Somehow he had found out. He knew! He must have heard about her meetings with Barry. She should have known that she couldn't keep her secret this long!

She lifted beautiful, troubled eyes to his. "I know what you want to say! I'm very sorry, Michael! I've tried to fight against it. But it's not my fault! Please say that you believe it's not my fault!"

"Of course it's not your fault!" Michael was standing now, with his back to her, as though he could not bear to look at her face. "You've been a perfect little wife! That's why I feel such a cad about it!"

PATRICIA HEARS SURPRISING NEWS

Two startled little lines suddenly creased Patricia's forehead.

"You feel a cad—about what?"

"About Greta, of course. You said you knew."

"Greta!" Patricia echoed, incredulously.

"I haven't any excuses to offer. We're just in love with each other, that's all. It began last fall when you went to Atlantic City with Kitty Parrott and I was alone. Remember?"

"Atlantic City?" Patricia said, stupidly. "O, yes—Atlantic City." She remembered that it was in Atlantic City that she had first met Barry.

"You know what we agreed then we married," Michael said jerkily. "No secrets, and—and if one of us should grow—er—tired, the other would step aside. It hurts like hell to say this, Pat. I never dreamed I'd be the one to ask for a release.

"So I thought I'd better tell you," said Michael. "I didn't want you to hear it from other people."

"No," Patricia replied.

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In the morning they separated. They agreed it would be quite impossible to live under the same roof any longer. Michael was moving to a nearby hotel until the divorce could be arranged. Patricia intended to shut up the apartment and go to live with her mother. At the last moment, however, her mother telephoned that the house was being redecorated and was in a state of uproar. She suggested that Patricia would do better to stay where she was.

Patricia did—for a while. She went around the apartment all day like one in a dream, trying to make herself realize that overnight her whole life had changed. Things were turning out just as she had hoped. Soon she would be free to wed Barry.

She cooked dinner and ate it alone. She started to listen to Amos 'n' Andy, but somehow their stuff sounded stale tonight and she switched off the radio. Barry was working late and could not see her. There seemed nothing else to do, so she went to bed early.

It was then that the lonely apartment became quite intolerable. She sat up in bed, her arms clasped around her hunched-up knees.

"You are welcome to the apartment and all that's in it," Michael had said. "You arranged it all, and I know how you love it, so of course it's yours. Why don't you make it your home—after the—the divorce? I'm sure you'd both be happy in it!" It was the first time he had mentioned Barry.

"Patricia sat staring into space. "O—I couldn't stand that!" Her own voice, coming out loud, startled her.

At a little before midnight she presented herself, a small, demure figure, at her mother's house.

"I don't mind the decorators," she murmured pathetically. "I'll sleep in a bunch of whitewash if it's necessary. But please—please don't send me back there alone!"

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"It's swell to be able to meet openly, like this," said Barry. "I feel like a different man now I don't have to keep worrying every minute whether Michael is going to pop in and discover us!"

Patricia stirred her tea thoughtfully. "Yes!"

"Don't you get a kick out of being a perfectly respectable fiancee, instead of a guilty wife sneaking out to meet her boy friend?"

"Oh, yes," said Patricia. "A tremendous kick!"

"Has Michael done anything yet about the divorce?"

"I don't know! I haven't heard a word from him for two weeks!"

WELCOME NEWS AS TO HIS DECEIT

"We must see what's to be done! Of course he is so eager to be free as you are, on account of Greta! Who was it said that gentlemen preferred blondes?" Barry's amused eyes praised on Patricia's delicate blonde prettiness. "Mike evidently had other ideas. Greta has the swellest black eyes—a cute kid and full of the devil!"

Patricia flushed. "I'm not interested in Greta!" she said coldly.

She was rather ashamed of herself, but she could not help resenting the fact that Michael was in love with Greta. Not that she wanted Michael herself, mind you. She was in love with Barry! But after five years of wedded life, she had expected Michael to show a little emotion. His actions expressed that he was glad to get rid of her. It was not a bit flattering.

When she got home her mother handed her a note from Michael. She read it through three times.

"—and it will be embarrassing for both of us, but with the divorce laws what they are, in this state, we have no alternative. So if you gather your witnesses together and trot along to the Hotel X——, about 5 o'clock, you'll find the necessary evidence!"

"Then you'll be able to get your divorce without any trouble," commented her mother. "That's good!"

"Good!" echoed Patricia. "It's terrible! It's a vile arrangement! I won't have anything to do with it!"

The maid appeared at the door, to announce that Barry was calling.

"I don't want to see him," Patricia said. "Tell him I'm sick—tell him I'm dead—tell him anything! Only—send him away!"

Later, she said thoughtfully: "No I know now that I don't want a divorce. I want Michael. I suppose I rather lost my head over Barry. It was lots of fun having him make love to me. But somehow—after Michael knew all about it, and I was free to go around with Barry—the glamour was all gone! It wasn't the same! O, I'd do anything to undo this mess! But—there's Greta!"

Her little spike heels tap-tapped nervously back and forth across the floor. Suddenly she stopped dead. "But she shan't have him! He's mine, and I'll keep him! Michael can't get a divorce! He hasn't any grounds! And if I choose to disregard the so-called 'evidence' that he's thrusting under my nose—Hah!"

Patricia hastily powdered her nose, jammed on her little Watteau hat, and slipped into her lapin trimmed coat. Her eyes glinted grimly. "I'm going to call on Greta. I'm going to tell her to find some one else's husband to play with, because I have no intention of divorcing mine—ever!"

Her interview with Greta was brief, very brief. Greta rolled up her black eyes and denied in horrified tones that she was, or had ever been, interested in Patricia's or any one else's husband. She recalled Michael only vaguely. Furthermore, she was getting married next week, and dragged in a startled fiance to prove it. She suggested that some one with a rather peculiar sense of humor was evidently playing a joke on Patricia.

Patricia had to wait around the block, very slowly, six times before the truth finally penetrated to her bewildered brain. Then she hopped into a taxi. "The Hotel—X—quickly!" She glanced at her wrist watch. It was a quarter to nine.

Patricia began to laugh. She laughed so much that she became quite hysterical. To the worried-looking taxi driver she explained: "I've just found out that my husband has been deceiving me—God bless him!"

THE END

"Tomorrow: "Harkin's a Doll Game", by Martin Sommers.

BIRD GARDENS

This is the time of year when canaries and lovebirds are apt to droop a bit for want of a bit of green in their lives. You can make a nice little bird garden by planting just a little bird grass seed or other green in a shallow box. Have the box big enough so you can take out the bottom of the bird cage and set the cage right over the garden. Then watch your little pet perk up!

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Dekan Grotto Holds Gay Dinner Concert Wednesday

Large Number Attend Pre-Christmas Affair

A very enjoyable time was spent in the Royal George hotel on Wednesday evening when members of Dekan Grotto Number 90 entertained at their regular monthly social in the form of a dinner and program. Despite the busy Christmas season there was a goodly attendance and following dinner the program of musical and novelty numbers was much appreciated.

Those present were: His Worship the Mayor and Mrs. Kostl, Dr. Walter Murrish, monarch, Mr. and Mrs. K. S. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Lush, Mr. Mark C. Wright, Mr. Charles S. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Palmer, Mrs. J. Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. James Langlands, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Richards, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dupee, Dr. and Mrs. L. B. Dodds, Mrs. J. LaPlanche Jr., Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Head, Mr. H. Brooke, Mr. Harry Templeman, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lessard, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Mackie, Mr. Ernest Brown, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hewetson, Mr. G. H. Boyd, Mr. J. Stephen, Mr. and Mrs. W. Greig, Mr. and Mrs. J. Wardaugh.

Forest Heights C.L. Holds Annual Tree And Concert

The annual Christmas tree and school concert of Forest Heights and District Community League was held in the school house on Tuesday, the school room being packed to the down long before the appointed hour. The excellent program was staged by the children of the school and great credit is due to the efforts of the teachers who went to so much trouble. In all, 175 children were the happy recipients of gifts and the usual Christmas candy, apples and oranges. The Christmas tree committee were congratulated on the excellent arrangements made. The following program was given:

Opening chorus, O Canada, school; recitation, Welcome; Christmas gifts; young citizens; recitation, The Baby's Name; recitation, A Small Boy's Complaint; dialogue, The Unwilling Tramp; the plants; dialogue, The Sick Doll; recitation, A Small Boy's First Recitation; The Boys' Brigade; The Hand Man; dialogue, Dan Speaks a Piece; Christmas Bells; recitation, The Riddle; dialogue, The Siberian Inquest; drill, In Grandma's Time; recitation, At Christmas Time; dialogue, The Rag Dolls; and dialogue, Eating a la Mode.

Girls Away From Home Invited To "Y" For Christmas

All girls and women away from home are most cordially invited to be guests at the "Y" for dinner at one o'clock Christmas Day. Please 'phone in plenty of time, 25643 or 22964. No girl need be alone in the city on Christmas Day. There will be companionship and something to do all day at the "Y". Business women and girls who lunch at the "Y," are particularly invited to be guests on this occasion.

Sussex Fellowship Enjoys Yuletide Memories At Meet

A large open fireplace with Yule logs burning and Christmas decorations transformed the I. O. O. F. hall into an old manor hall on Monday evening for the annual Christmas Festival of the Sussex Fellowship. The sketch "Yuletide Memories," liberally interspersed with carols, brought memories back to all present, and later Santa, who arrived via the chimney, presented a well-filled stocking gift to each of the younger guests.

A servitor in cap and smock, the latter garment being over a hundred years old, brought in a large Christmas pudding alight by the time-honored medium. Old-time songs and dance brought the evening to a close.

Creche Children Have Christmas Tree Wednesday

More than forty children and their parents enjoyed the jolly Christmas tree, provided by girls of the White Circle of Robertson church, under the direction of Mrs. Perry Giffen on Wednesday evening at the Edmonton Creche. Santa Claus distributed gay gifts from the gaily decorated tree, and afterwards games were enjoyed, with refreshments served both to children and parents. Mr. Burden, Mr. McMurchy and Mr. Wells of the Lions' Club had footed bills. Mrs. J. Dick, Mrs. W. D. Spence, Mrs. Giffen, Miss Emerson and Miss Dalton of the Creche Board were in attendance.

Franco-British Union

The wedding of Miss Isolde Guinness, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Guinness, to Prince John de Malte, of France, only son of Prince and Princess de Malte, took place recently at St. Michael's church, Chester Square, London. The picture shows the bride and bridegroom leaving the church after the ceremony.

IN AND OUT OF TOWN

HIS HONOR THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR and Mrs. Walsh will entertain delegates to the United Farm Women of Alberta convention at a reception at Government house on Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 20.

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MR. AND MRS. W. J. DICK are entertaining at a family dinner on Christmas night.

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PROFESSOR GEORGE SMITH left Wednesday evening for the southern part of the province where he will spend Christmas week with his sister.

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COLONEL JAMES RAMSEY was "at home" at his suite in the Macdonald hotel this afternoon.

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MRS. MAURICE PLUNKETT was hostess at an informal tea on Wednesday at her flat in the Annamie in compliment to Mrs. Adrien Roell of Sumatra, and Miss Thelma Rae of London, England, who is in the city this week with the Sir Barry Jackson Players. Mrs. Robert Allsway presided at the tea-table and Miss Pauline Pitfield served.

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MISS A. G. MADDOCK entertained members of the resident staff of Llanarthney school at a theatre party at the Empire theatre on Tuesday evening.

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PROF. AND MRS. I. P. MORRISON are entertaining at dinner on Christmas night at their residence in Windsor Park, when their guests will be Mrs. Dyde, Mr. H. A. Dyde, Miss Nora Dyde of Calgary, Mr. and Mrs. Woonton of Drumheller, Judge and Mrs. Farrell of Regina, Captain and Mrs. Con. Farrell, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. McAllister and Miss Marion Lavell of Calgary.

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MISS CONSTANCE SMITH entertained at luncheon at the Hudson Bay on Wednesday for Mrs. Adrien Roell of Sumatra, who is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Macdonald for Christmas. Other luncheon guests were Mrs. R. Smith, Miss Mae Massie and Miss Margaret Smith.

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MISS GERTRUDE STRONG is having on Monday, her Grande Marie to take over her new duties in the X-ray department of the Grande Prairie hospital. On Sunday, Mr. C. P. Strong entertained at a delightful tea at her residence in Villa avenue for her daughter, when those present were: Mrs. Wells Scott, Thompson, Miss Eileen Revell and Miss Elizabeth Scott.

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MRS. A. McLEOD and her two sons, Donald and Arthur, are leaving on Friday for Vancouver, where they will be guests of Mr. M. McLeod.

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MISS MIRIAM BOWMAN has left to spend Christmas in Winnipeg, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Phillips.

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MR. AND MRS. CLYDE SMITH have arrived home from Peace River, to spend Christmas with Mr. Smith's mother, Mrs. Frank Smith, the Rene Lemarchand Mansion.

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WITH ITS LOBBY GAILY DECORATED with varicolored Christmas bells and stars and with the gigantic Christmas tree blazing a welcome to visitors, the Macdonald hotel is the tract many family dinner parties on Christmas night. Special decorations have been planned for the dinner and in addition there will be a number of festive novelties.

An elaborate program has been planned for the New Year's Eve supper dance this year. Pupils of the Kinney School of Dancing will put on many clever dance numbers and little Rhonna Crystal as "Miss 1932" will herald the New Year. Miss Marion Kinney will do a solo dance number.

MUSEUM CLOSED SATURDAY

The Edmonton Museum of Arts, fourth floor, Civic block, will be closed on Saturday, which is Boxing day. It will be open, however, on Sunday from four until six p.m.

MR. AND MRS. J. T. CLEARY, of Lanheed, are arriving in the city on Thursday to spend Christmas at the home of Mrs. Cleary's mother, Mrs. L. Palmer.

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MISS UNA PALMER, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. T. Cleary, of Lanheed, is expected home for Christmas.

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MR. W. G. BLOOR, of Two Hills, is spending Christmas with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Spence.

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MRS. H. M. E. Evans is entertaining a number of members of the Barry Jackson players at Sylvancroft on Christmas afternoon.

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MRS. LOUIS HYNDMAN is "at home" informally to a few friends at her residence in Jasper avenue west this evening.

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MR. FRED PARDEE is arriving from Calgary this evening to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Pardee.

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MRS. J. RAY POWELL is entertaining informally this evening.

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MISS ALBERTA HASTIE of the Camrose Normal School staff is spending the holidays in the city, the guest of Miss Florence Hallock.

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COLONEL AND MRS. F. A. STEWART DUNN will be At Home on New Year's Day.

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COLONEL AND MRS. F. A. STEWART DUNN are entertaining at a Christmas tea at their new home, 10710 98 avenue, from three until six o'clock.

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Mrs. H. C. Nicholson and her little daughters, Enid and Dorothy, of Benilley, have come to the city for the holiday season, and are the guests of Mrs. Nicholson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Watson.

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MRS. THORNTON GRAHAM will be at home again from Winnipeg for New Year's.

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MR. AND MRS. H. W. JOSLIN, 106 street, will have as their guests over Christmas their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Campbell of Lacombe, and their son, Mr. H. W. Joslin and Mrs. Joslin of Leduc.

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MRS. ADRIEN ROELL of Sumatra, who is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Macdonald, is leaving on Saturday for Winnipeg, where she will visit her sister, Mrs. Charles Weldon.

Women From Many Parts Of Alberta Coming To U.F.W.A. Convention In January

Special Speakers to be Heard—Program Arranged

Women from many parts of rural Alberta will be in Edmonton from Tuesday, January 19 until Friday, January 22 for the convention of the United Farm Women of Alberta.

A number of interesting resolutions to be dealt with include the request for an exchange of teachers at examinations, and consideration of the year's work in marking papers, agreement to support the demonstrations provided by the Women's Bureau until the return of prosperity, institution of a fire alarm signal in rural telephones, the observation of Peony Day, improvement of prison grounds for female prisoners, institution of a 'Child Welfare Day, closing of the bails, discharge of aliens in the public service.

The Hon. J. E. Brownlee, Premier of Alberta, will give the address of welcome, and among special speakers will be Mrs. R. B. Gunn, Mr. Horace Greeley, town planning consultant, Dr. J. M. McEachran, Mrs. Nelson Hargrave, Miss A. Bridgman, president of district nurses, Mrs. J. W. Field, Hon. George Hoadley, Miss Marion Posey, acting director Alberta Women's Bureau, the Hon. Irene Parlby and Mr. R. A. Corbett, director of the department of extension for the University of Alberta.

The social side of the convention includes a reception at Government House on Wednesday afternoon, January 20.

Following is the program as at present arranged:

Tuesday Morning, Jan. 19—Joint session with U.F.A.

Tuesday—2.00 p.m., official opening of convention; O Canada; invocation by Rev. Geo. M. Dix; M.A., B.D.; 2.15 p.m., welcome by Hon. J. E. Brownlee, premier of Alberta; 2.35 p.m., appointment of committee on credentials, credentials and order of business, election of chairman of the convention; 3.00 p.m., report of president (presented by Mrs. A. H. Ward); report of the executive (presented by Mrs. R. Price); 3.30 p.m., report of U.F.W.C. (presented by Mrs. Gunn); 3.45 p.m., report of U.F.W.A. secretary (presented by Mrs. Nelson); 4.00 p.m., report of committee on Young People's work, Mrs. Ward, convener; 4.15 p.m., address by president, Francis Marion Ward; 4.30 p.m., address by president, Mrs. Marion Posey; 5.30 p.m., discussion and resolutions.

Wednesday—Joint session with U.F.A.

Wednesday—9.30 a.m., community singing; 9.35 a.m., resolutions; 10.00 a.m., report of committee on home economics (presented by Mrs. J. L. Zipperer); 10.15 a.m., Discussion and resolutions; 10.40 a.m., report of committee on organization (presented by Mrs. E. Priest); 10.55 a.m., discussion and resolutions; 11.10 a.m., Mrs. F. P. Gunn, "At Home with the Canadians;" 11.50 a.m., nomination for president.

Wednesday—2.00 p.m.—Community singing; 2.10 p.m., election of president; 2.35 p.m., report of committee on horticulture (presented by Mrs. C. Simon); 2.45 p.m., discussion and resolutions; 3.50 p.m., Pierre L. Dupuis, director of Town Planning, illustrated address (video from Brazil, Spain, Canada); 3.10 p.m., Dr. J. M. MacEachran, "Crime and Punishment;" 4.00 p.m., tea, for reception at Government House.

Thursday, Jan. 21st—9.30 a.m., community singing; 9.30 a.m., report of committee on education (presented by Mrs. Winifred Pratt); 9.45 a.m., discussion and resolutions; 10.15 a.m., music; 10.30 a.m., nomination and election of first vice-president, nomination and election of second vice-president; 11.00 a.m., report of committee on co-operative effect (presented by Mrs. R. W. Lewis); 11.10 a.m., discussion and resolutions; 11.30 a.m., Mrs. Nelson Hargrave; 11.40 a.m., Canadian Art.

Thursday—3.00 p.m., community singing; 3.10 p.m., report of committee on health (presented by Mrs. Mary Banner); 3.20 p.m., discussion and resolutions; 3.40 p.m., Miss K. Brighty, superintendent district nurses; 4.00 p.m., address, Hon. Geo. Hoadley; 4.15 p.m., discussion and resolutions; 4.30 p.m., reunion; 5.30 p.m., election of directors.

Friday, January 22—9.30 a.m., community singing; 9.30 a.m., report of committee on legislation (presented by Mrs. F. J. Malloy); 9.45 a.m., discussion and resolutions; 10.15 a.m., music; 10.30 a.m., report of committee on social welfare (presented by Mrs. F. A. Deville); 10.45 a.m., discussion and resolutions; 11.00 a.m., Mrs. Marion Posey, acting director Alberta Women's Bureau; 11.30 a.m., fraternal delegates.

Friday—2.00 p.m., community singing; 2.10 p.m., resolutions; 2.30 p.m., fraternal delegates; 2.45 p.m., report of committee on peace (presented by Mrs. W. D. Spence); 3.00 p.m., discussion and resolutions; 3.20 p.m., Mrs. Irene Parlby; 3.40 p.m., address by E. A. Corbett, B.A., director, Dept. of Extension, University of Alberta, "Education for Peace;" 4.00 p.m., Hon. Irene Parlby, "League of Nations;" 4.30 p.m., social hour.

Daughter Of N.Y. Minister Works Way 'Round World

NEW YORK, N.Y. Dec. 24.—Deeply tanned by the sun and wind of long ocean voyages and the plains and deserts of the Far East which she crossed, Miss Winifred Howard, the daughter of a New York Presbyterian minister, has returned home after an absence of more than six months. It was not exactly a new experience for Miss Howard as she has girdled the globe on three previous occasions. On her latest venture, however, she worked her way, most of the time on board a British freighter, Thurland.

Miss Howard boarded the Thurland in New York on May 14. She was the only woman aboard. From Panama to Manila, when the weather was hot, she wore shorts and worked daily for a month in the engine room, cleaning the oil separators and grinding valves.

At Singapore she left the freighter and made a railroad trip alone through China to Mukden, thence to Dairen, where she rejoined the Thurland. During the journey she was inoculated against cholera and once was quarantined with some Persians, Arabs, Armenians and Turks in Damascus.

"I cannot say that a young woman is safe traveling alone in the Orient," Miss Howard continued. "While traveling in China and India the railroad guards gave me special protection. One night in India a man was murdered in the coach next to mine.

"In Mukden I had a hazardous experience when I left the railroad station for the hotel in a rickshaw. Instead of taking me to the hotel the rickshaw runner, a Chinese, took me into a low quarter of the city to a notorious resort and tried to make me get out of the rickshaw. I refused and tried to argue with him in Eng-

Christmas "Lit" Is Gay Affair At Garneau School

Two hundred and fifty students of Garneau High School assembled for the big Christmas literary meeting in the assembly hall on Wednesday afternoon. A feeling of relief and enjoyment, partly because of the completion of examinations, was felt.

Mr. Ainlay led in a gay sing song. Mr. Wilfred Wees was then called upon to make a speech. He presented his cup to the representative of Miss Margaret Burwash, who obtained the higher average in the school for the year. Miss Ruth Wesson glad on encouraging treasurer's report. Miss Patricia Joyce, talented blind student, played two piano solos in a fine manner. This was followed by a monologue by Mark Kramer.

Mr. Inner, on behalf of the students, presented a turkey to Mr. Mitchell, the caretaker. Miss Christine Dickson gave a reading and Miss Minota Barber sang.

The Garneau quartette, Betty Mason, Frances Ferguson, Lois Rellior, and Nancy Smith, sang delightfully, accompanied by Gertrude Hard.

Mr. Burchell presented the sport medals and cup to the successful members of the track team. The cup was awarded to Miss Edith Ach, and Miss Ach, Miss Betty Wright, Mr. Glynn Davies and Mr. Tim Nickols received the medals.

An amusing Beauty Contest was held by Mark Kramer, Gordon Savage, Lorne Banner, John Sharpe, Jack Shurer, Bill Miller and John Constabaras. Mark Kramer was the winner as "Miss Garneau."

Refreshments were served, and dancing was enjoyed.

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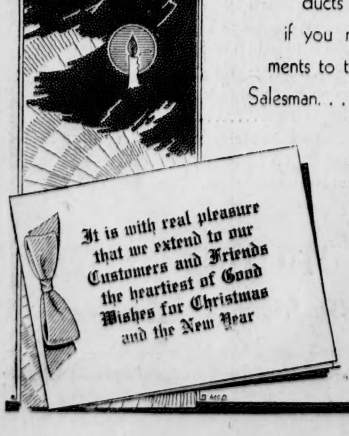

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The pool will also be closed all day New Year's Day.

Wedding Bells

FISK—MEIN

Holy Trinity Church was the scene of a quiet wedding on Wednesday evening when Mary H. Mein of Leduc, daughter of the late W. G. Mein and Mrs. Mein of Leduc, became the bride of Robert Fisk, also of Leduc, son of Mr. and Mrs. James G. Fisk of Belmeaven. Rev. Arthur Murphy, M.A., performed the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. A. Jewett attended the bride and bridegroom. The bride was lovely in a graceful gown of pale rose chiffon and crepe, design, with which she wore a smart felt hat to tone, and silver slippers. Her bouquet was of rose carnations.

Following the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served by the Rev. and Mrs. Arthur Murphy at their residence in Garneau.

Seven Young Boys Are Hosts At Gay School Set Party

Starting off a fortnight of gay parties and all sorts of entertainment for the younger set home from school in all parts of the country, the very successful dance in Glenora club house on Wednesday evening given by Mr. Munro Williamson, Mr. Rodney Pike, Mr. Paul Brockie, Mr. Clarence Dowdell, Mr. Jack McClory, Mr. Jack Thompson, and Mr. Pete MacAuley, was a delightful affair. Hostesses for the evening were the mothers of the young hosts.

Those present were: Miss Faith Henderson, Miss Kay and Miss Mona Gray, Miss Mary Mungal, Miss Rusty Dougan, Miss Lois Weil, Miss Maxine Hayward, Miss Margaret Sutton, Miss Bunnie Cairns, Miss Betty Wilson, Miss Lorraine Cook, Miss Winnifred Sutton, Miss Beth Trowbridge, Miss Margaret Thomson, Miss Betty Cooper, Miss Audrey Dick, Miss Mary Sutherland, Miss Ruth Stein, Miss Helen Malin, Miss Doris Johnson, Miss Silvia, Miss Louise and Miss Ann Brada Price, Miss Joan Hunt, Miss Pauline Pitfield, Miss Mollie Weaver, Miss Margaret Dinning, Miss Maxine Chevalier, Miss Betty Thomson, Miss Jean MacMurchy, Miss Doris Brown, Miss Peggy O'Connor, Miss Helen Conroy, Miss Peggy Aitken, Miss Lillian Hoag, Miss Mae Clarke, Miss Kathleen Taylor, Miss Charlotte Barr, John McLaughlin, Bill Moore, Charles Rowan, Jim Wallbridge, Bartley Pitfield, Don Perry, Denny K. Berry, Peter Pitcher, Bill Woods, Hugh Fraser, Stewart Fraser, Jim Fraser, Mickey Timothy, Maurice Colburn, Ted Bishop, Son Scott, Ed. Wood, Derby Nash, Jim Barfred, John West, Don Fraser, Dick Murkurt, Bill Hoar, Ed. Chown, Frank Blue, Peter Ruie, Ken Price, M. Martin, Paul Carter, Dalton Ford, Jack Chatsworth, Bill Baxter, John Garrett, Ralph Bain and Clarence Dowdell.

WALTERDALE

Members of Walterdale Community League held their regular weekly whist drive in the hall Wednesday evening. Honors went to Mrs. Newsom, Mrs. Pricker, Mr. de Champs, Mr. Newsom, Mrs. Barnes and Mr. F. Honey.

Following the ceremony a New Year's Eve Frolic at which cards will be played, followed by supper and dancing.

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Your Baby and Mine

By MYRTLE MEYER ELDRED

EARLY MORNING NO TIME TO ARGUE WITH HUNGRY BABY

The question of how and when to 2 a.m. feeding may be dispensed with crops up early. As early as little in baby's life. It is equally vital that baby

Myrtle Eldred

trained to have good sleeping habits. To waken the baby night after night at 2 a. m. simply solidifies the habit of waking at that hour. If the mother finds that he sleeps through this hour, he should be allowed to sleep, provided he doesn't waken at 4 or 5 o'clock. 5 o'clock and thus throw off the whole day's schedule.

DON'T ARGUE

On the contrary, if he regularly wakens for this feeding, it is better to feed him. You can't convince a baby who has been fed four hours or more previously that he isn't hungry, and it isn't wise to start such an argument in the middle of the night.

Good night habits are acquired more easily if the baby is not wakened for night feedings, but more or less establishes his own hours. Having carried this through successfully with my own three babies, who after six weeks of age were not fed oftener at night, it seems reasonable to conclude that this isn't anything extraordinary. Let the baby sleep as long as he will after the 6 p.m. feeding. Usually this results in his waking at 12 and then sleeping through until six. If this doesn't result, two feedings should be spaced equally, as at ten and two or 11 and 3, so as not to conflict with the daytime ones.

WAKEFUL AND FUSSY

In addition to the above question Mrs. P. A. W. also asks, "Baby weighed seven pounds six ounces at birth and now at six and one-half weeks weighs 10 pounds and four ounces. Is that the usual gain?

"I have tried feeding the baby at 11 p.m. and then offering water when he waken, but he cries and won't take it.

"Sometimes when he is changed, he screeches terribly. Is this temper? What shall I do?

"He is usually awake from 2 p.m. until 7:30 p.m. and I think so young a baby should sleep in the afternoon. He cries and fusses unless he is being wheeled or is out in the car."

FEED HIM

As long as he wakens regularly for a feeding, give it to him. His gain has been better than eight ounces weekly. The average gain is five to six ounces weekly.

If you are changing him on your lap—a most awkward way, I think—you have to hold him very tightly, and babies invariably show temper when their free movements are restrained. If changed on the bed, he may have some freedom to kick and turn, and won't resent this rather tiresome duty.

Try weighing him directly before and after his 2 p.m. nursing. You may find that at this period he does not make as good a gain in ounces as at the others of the day. If this is so, a deficient nursing is causing him to be fussy. If you would like my leaflet on "Complementary Feedings", you may have it for only a self-addressed, stamped envelope enclosed with your request for it. Address your request to Myrtle Meyer Eldred, "Your Baby and Mine" department of this newspaper.

What's What

By HELEN DUCIE

INFORMAL HOLIDAY DINNER

—During Christmas week we are giving an informal dinner for eight persons, two of them business friends from out of town. Where do host and hostess sit? How are guests seated? Is the roast carved at table? When finished, do guests pass their plates to the hostess, or does she walk around to remove the plates? How is dessert served? How are napkins and glasses of water placed? (This dinner is to be served without a maid.)

MRS. G.

Answer—Host at head; hostess at foot of table. Oldest or most distinguished woman at the right of host. Same type of man at right of hostess. Other guests in intervening places. A hostess must not leave the table during dinner. Modern grill-plate service is best when there is no maid. Soup and fish are omitted; heated plates with already-carved meat and vegetables are placed when dinner is announced. A glass of water and an individual salad is at the front of each plate beside the napkin. The emptied plates are passed to the hostess who places them on the tea wagon, from the lower shelf of which she passes the dessert (already portioned). Coffee is passed in the living room.

Mrs. W. W. Eliot, of Trochu, and her small sons, Edwin and Donald, are spending the Christmas holidays with Mrs. Eliot's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Singer, the Highlands.

DREAM

What is this dream I have between
sleeping and waking,
This dream of walking the English
moors in the twilight—
I, who have never stepped a foot upon
England,
Walking the purple moors in the
windy twilight?

What is this dream I have between
sleeping and waking—
Of walking a road alone and coming
from darkness
Into the light of a camp; the fire-
light on evil faces—
Strangeness and fear, then diving
back into darkness?

What is this dream cale lidife between
sleeping and waking—
This coming from darkness to light,
non-being to being?
Life is a gypsy camp . . . a light upon
evil faces . . .
Death is darkness again, and windy
moors in the twilight.

—Marion : hel Hamilton, in Poetry.

DOROTHY DIX

Father's Advice to His Son—Will a Marriage of Convenience Result in Happiness?—Must Poor Parents Supply Their Children with Luxuries They Demand?

DEAR MISS DIX—What is the most important advice a father can give his son on his 21st birthday? R. C. A.

Answer:

There isn't much use in giving a boy advice on his 21st birthday because by that time his character has been formed. It is the advice that you give a boy before he is 10 years old that counts. It is while he is clay in your hands that you can impress the precepts of right thinking and right living upon him.

But if I were going to give advice to any boy of 21 I should urge him to so live that he can look himself in the face. It doesn't matter much what other people think of us. It is our own opinion of ourselves that counts. The one person's respect we are bound to have is our own and as long as we do nothing that we are ashamed to remember we are all right.

Then I should try to impress upon him the value of moderation in all things. I should tell him that all the good things in the world are intended for us to use in small quantities and that only by doing that can we get any pleasure out of them.

Too much abstemiousness starves us to death. Too much eating kills us with obesity. Too much work wears us out. Too much loitering on the way and we never reach the place we are going to. Too much quick time we never see the things that bloomed along the way. It is only when we eat and play and work and love and dance in the right proportion that we get the real pleasure out of living.

I should tell him that the only free man is the one who is master of his fate. It is only the man who can control his appetites and his emotion and his temper and his tongue who is the captain of his soul.

I should advise him to cultivate a pleasing address. Good manners are a letter of credit that he is honored at sight the world over. The man who knows what to say and how to say it, who never fails in showing little courtesies, who is pleasant to get along with, sells himself to all with whom he comes in contact. He makes friends who push his fortune and he does not need half the ability to get along that the gruff, surly, ill-natured man requires. Of course, a man may have a rough exterior and a heart of gold and a brilliant mind, but he repels people and they never take the trouble to find out what is inside of him. But the man with the suave exterior charms at sight.

I would urge upon my 21-year-old boy to try to find out what Nature intended him to do and to select some occupation in which he was interested and which he finds a pleasure in doing. Most of the failures in the world are the people who get into the wrong jobs. They try to do the things for which they have no aptitude and which they loathe to do and so always do badly. The most important decision a boy ever makes is in selecting his life occupation for his happiness and success depends upon his choice.

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Busby, Alta., Dec. 24—A most successful play was given in the Busby town hall by the Women's Institute on Friday evening. A large crowd was in attendance and the proceeds realized the sum of $38. A very enjoyable dance and lunch followed the play.

Dickens Lived in Best Loved of Christmas Tales

Wept Over "The Chimes" One of Most Successful Books

Eighty-eight years have passed since Charles Dickens gave to a delighted world the first of his far too few Christmas stories, whose mirth, pathos, humor, and great-hearted humanity made him the most beloved of British authors.

It was in the autumn of 1843, when he was living with his young family in Devonshire Terrace, Regent's Park, that "A Christmas Carol, in Prose—being a Ghost story for Christmas" was written like most of Dickens' works, at high pressure. At the time he was working on "Chuzzlewit"—a race against time; but it was no less important that the "Carol" should make its appearance for Christmas.

Thus week after week he was at his desk a dozen hours or more a day, exhausting himself and his nerves to a dangerous extent. And when he could write no more he would sally forth on long aimless walks through the London streets, covering a dozen or fifteen miles before, in the early hours of the morning, he sought his bed. "He never left home," we read, "before the owls went out, and led the most solitary of lives." And as with "The Chimes" a year later, as he wrote "The Carol" he "laughed and wept again, and excited himself in the most extraordinary manner."

"The Carol" was quick to find its way into the hearts of the reading public. It was a direct appeal of heart to heart such as few, if any, could resist. Copies were sold in thousands, as fast as they could be produced; Dickens was deluged with letters from all parts of the world, full of gratitude and admiration.

The manuscript of "The Carol" has had many vicissitudes since Dickens presented it to his old school-fellow, Thomas Milton. Fifty years ago it was sold for $250 to a bookseller, Mr. Harvey, who re-sold it to George Churchill, a collector. In 1892 it changed hands again for $1,000; and a little later was sold for $1,500 to Stuart Samuel, of Kensington Palace Gardens. Of its later history nothing definite appears to be known.

On November 4, 1844, Dickens wrote the last word of "The Chimes," probably the most beautiful and best-beloved of his Christmas stories, and, as he put down his pen and looked down from his study window on the waters of the Mediterranean, mirroring the blue Italian sky, the tears began to stream down his cheeks and, resting his head on his hands, he "sobbed like a child."

Some minutes later he took up his pen again and wrote these words to his friend, John Forster: "Half past two, afternoon. Thank God! I have just finished 'The Chimes.' I take up my pen only to say that much and to add that I have had what women call a 'real good cry.'"

For weeks he had been writing at high pressure, "in a fever of inspiration." He had lived with and for his book; and as his pen flew over the sheets he laughed and cried with his characters, and generally, as he confessed, "behaved like an idiot." And when at last he had to say goodbye to them it was as though he stood by the graveside of loved ones. "Day after day," he says, "I was in my bath at seven o'clock and an hour later I was working at my desk, blazing away, resolutely and red-hot, for seven or eight hours at a stretch, until my hand refused to work any more.

"I had almost finished the story, and, rack my brains as I would and did, I simply could not think of a title. Then one morning as I sat down at my desk, the bells of Genoa broke, as if by one consent, into a merry almost deafening peal; and I had it, 'The Chimes!' 'The Chimes!' That was the very title I wanted, but could not find."

A month after Dickens had wiped the tears off his eyes in Genoa he was reading "The Chimes" to a group of friends in his study in London, to such an accompaniment of laughter and tears as surely no book before had ever, and a week later all London was talking of the wonderful Christmas story and clamoring for copies. On the day of publication it is said 20,000 copies were sold, and before the year closed the book had added $7,500 to Dickens' bank balance.

FLOCKED TO SEE INDIAN SCOUT

A member of the Canadian contingent to the great world gathering of Scouts in England in 1929 who attracted much attention passed in the death of Scout Rob Grey of British Columbia. As a "genuine red Indian and son of a chief," many boys sought the Canadian camp to meet Scout Grey and take his picture. Grey led the Indian dances which were a popular feature of the display given by the Canadians.

Edmonton Girl Wed To University Man In Calgary Today

A wedding of wide interest is taking place in Calgary at seven o'clock Thursday, this evening, when Mercy Donaldson, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Donaldson, 107 street, becomes the bride of Dr. J. Lyle Wyatt of Medicine Hat, only son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wyatt of Medicine Hat. Rev. S. W. Pattinson is performing the ceremony in First Baptist church, Calgary. The bride is wearing a gown in shades of nasseau blue with French model felt hat, trimmed in feather mount, to tone. Her shoulder corsage is of rose buds. Miss Muriel Langfeldt of Calgary, formerly of Edmonton, and Mr. Herman Davidson of Calgary are attending the bride and bridegroom. After a brief honeymoon Dr. and Mrs. Wyatt will reside in Medicine Hat. Dr. Wyatt was graduated from the University of Alberta in 1929.

Club Activities

MRS. SPICER HEADS LADY STRATHCONA

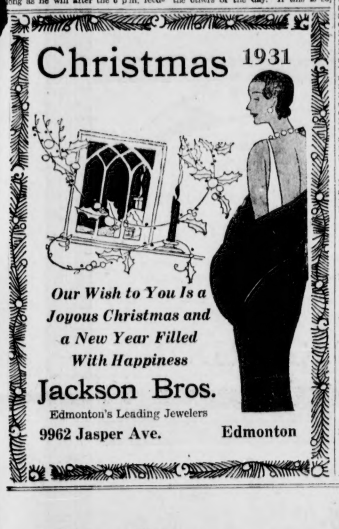
Mrs. H. Spicer was elected worthy mistress of Lady Strathcona Lodge 118 for the third time, at the annual meeting in south side Orange Hall, Wednesday evening. Other officers chosen were: deputy mistress, Mrs. C. Sales; chaplain, Mrs. S. Turner; recording secretary, Miss Hudson; financial secretary, Mrs. Greenaway; treasurer, Mrs. A. V. Lord; first lecturer, Miss G. Young; deputy lecturer, Miss A. Dallimore; director of ceremonies, Miss E. Murray; inner guard, Mrs. W. Martin; outer guard, Mrs. W. Murray. The committee of five were appointed: Mrs. Waring, Mrs. Hughes, Mrs. Russell, Mrs. Davies and Mrs. Crosley, and guardian Mrs. J. Murray; pianist, Mrs. J. Adamson; past mistress, Miss R. Robinson. The installation was conducted by the Right Worshipful Grand Deputy Mistress Mrs. S. Botsford, assisted by past grand mistress Mrs. H. Quick, grand deputy secretary Mrs. J. Dawson, Mrs. Evans and Mrs. Armitage.

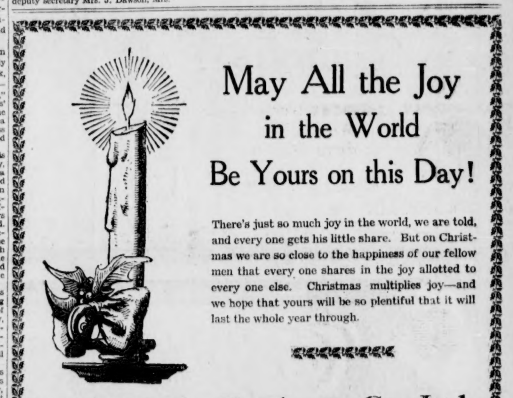
Mrs. A. Aiken gave a satisfactory report of the bazaar work, and Mrs. Spicer reported the proceeds from the telephone wind. The auditor's report given by Mrs. D. Forbes showed a successful financial standing.

Mrs. E. Davies is looking after the Christmas tree for Monday of next week.

On behalf of the officers and members Mrs. A. Aiken presented a silver cake basket engraved with the lodge number and a lovely bouquet to Mrs. Spicer with a few words of esteem for the splendid work done by Mrs. Spicer. Mrs. Spicer replied in a fitting manner, thanking one and all for their co-operation.

Later dainty refreshments were served in the reception room by Mrs. R. Hughes and her committee.





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BY KAY CLEAVER STRAHAN

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WHEN, in the year nineteen hundred and sixteen, Professor Fenwick and his wife Ann died of influenza during the same week in late March, their acquaintances thanked a merciful Providence that the three little girls had those perfectly charming grandparents who were willing and glad to take them right in and give them a good home. The nurse in the house at the time, one sturdy Gladys Clapp, was the only person who felt the least apprehension as to the tranquil future of the Fenwicks' daughters: Ann, 14 years old; Cecily, eight years old; and baby Mary-Frances, one year old on the third of last February.

Poor old Gladys was merely a practical nurse—a mysterious trouble with her left knee had prevented her from completing her hospital training—and she was still encumbered with a nursing policy for interest, unprofessional but sympathetic and almost affectionate, for a few of her patients. It was a nuisance, because even after the double funeral she could not put the Fenwick family entirely out of her memory. For several months she spoke of them, from time to time, and praised pretty, frail Mrs. Fenwick. Said she was just as common as an old shoe, though she was a professor's wife; said she knew beans when the bag was open; challenged her listeners to show her another mother with common sense enough to send her children away and refuse to kiss them roughly for fear of contagion, though they bawled to be kissed; mentioned nothing about the morning of that sad day when Mrs. Fenwick had hung her head and bitten her fist and cried, right in front of the doctor, and argued, "I agree with you, Dr. Elm—but I haven't any place to send the girls. There is no place for them to go."

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IN the end Gladys herself had taken the three children across the city from the trim brown bungalow tightly fenced in its neat yard near the campus of the small Oregon college to the suburb where the Fenwick Mansion—incorrigibly incorrect Victorian clothing—stood in its block of overgrowned trees and shrubs and weedy lawn.

The children's grandmother had thrown the two front doors wide open as Gladys came, carrying the baby up the steps, with Ann and Cecily lagging behind.

"Welcome!" she had called in her creamy sweet voice. "Welcome, welcome home, my darlings!" And in spite of her fresh, and she was extraordinarily fat, and disregarding the fancy lacy, perfumed rose-colored silk thing she was wearing, she had gone right down on her knees to embrace Ann and Cecily, and they had to stoop far over to her while she kissed and shed tears into their white necks—tears that trickled pretty on to their little stomachs and made them squirm unkcomfortably.

Gladys stood and sniffed the heavy heliotrope perfume, and held the baby, and admired the stained-glass squares in the door, until the baby, one of those stern, big-eyed babies who never cry, began to scream with sudden high fury, as if Gladys had pinched her, or picked her, or had done some embarrassing thing of that sort.

Ann, who Gladys said was so pretty that she fairly took your breath away, blush actually she was not pretty at all, but purely and boyishly beautiful from the point of brown hair on her wide forehead to the curve of her perfect chin, went to the blushing Gladys and tugged at her arm and said, "I'll take the baby."

Grand—the grandfather, you know—entered. He had a room white beard and flowing white hair and not one tear stood in his kindly blue eyes, and he knew it. It was he who took the baby, murmuring something that sounded to Gladys' scrupulously unaccustomed ears like, "the yeast of trace." He was a tall man, and he made a grand picture standing there with that blessed baby—shocked to momentary silence—in his arms. Reluctantly Gladys turned from it to close the two front doors, which had been forgotten, and which were shaking gusts of the rainy March wind to sweep into the hall. She spoke to Rosalie—the grandmother, you know—who was still blowing pink silk and lace about on the floor.

"Did the values and things get here all right?"

There had been nothing amusing, in so far as Gladys could see, concerned with her question, but Rosalie burbled some laughter before she said, "They are all unpacked and the darling, dowdy little things are in place in the three little cozy rooms." (The rooms were enormous; but, since they needed for the time to be small and cozy, in Rosalie's mind they were small and cozy.)

"There!" smiled Gladys. "The baby isn't going to be put off in a room by herself, is she?"

Rosalie's manner grew grave and charmingly judicial. "You think it unwise?"

Grand answered before Gladys had a chance to do so. "Give yourself no uneasiness, my good woman—my very good woman," he added with a flattering smile. "Everything shall be arranged for the best comfort and good of all. The shall be done. It may not be done today. It may not be done tomorrow. But soon, very soon, it shall be accomplished. Convey that message. If you will be so kind. All things shall soon be arranged for the best good and the best comfort of all, to our dear son."

"Yes, sir," said Gladys frightfully flustered because she knew that never in this world could she remember all of that. Pfe that.

Cecily, a fairly pretty little girl even at eight years old, and soon to be prettier, pulled at the tassel on the baby's shoe and said, "Father won't understand. He hasn't understood anything for three days. It is the fever's fault. They are afraid Mother may have contracted it. All shaking her chin lower and blinked her long lashes up and down over her grey eyes.

Grand opened the doors again and with bow and gesture bade Gladys Clapp a benevolent good-afternoon. "Mind the third step," he called. The third step was broken right down in the centre.

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A WOMAN named Josephine Lenhan was waiting for Grand and Rosalie at that time. When she had ing gusts of the rainy March wind to

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City is Ready For Christmas Holiday

Many Features Booked For Edmonton Citizens

Stores to Remain Open Until 10 P.M. to Accommodate Late Shoppers

In common with every other point in the civilized world, this city on Thursday rushed through last-minute preparations for celebrating Christmas, the most festive, most universally observed season of the year.

On all sides there was bustle and scurrying around, even in the early hours of the business day.

Merchants in leading thoroughfares were up betime, arranging more attractive counters and window displays for the final drive on patronage.

From all indications it promised to be a "banner day" in the business world.

Stores will be open until 10 p.m. Then the scene will shift to the home.

CHRISTMAS TREES

In countless homes there will be Christmas trees rushed in through side and back doors and with the younger generation quietly packed off to bed there will be mysterious and fairy-like decorations suddenly brought forth and placed on the tree.

Then intriguing-looking parcels with an abundance of baffling and multi-colored paper from friends and relatives will be placed in strategic points on and under the tree.

Finally the family will retire and await development.

At this while, far up in the Northland, old Santa Claus will be busy with his preparations, too. Packing vast quantities of toys and other good things into his sleighs and harnessing up his reindeer.

When he figures "that all through the house, not a creature was stirring, not even a mouse", he will whistle to his fleet reindeer and set out to distribute his bundles to the waiting children of the world.

This city has promised "big doings" for Christmas.

SPECIAL SERVICES

The Holy Day will be ushered in by special religious services at All Saints' Pro-Cathedral and Roman Catholic churches, with the services timed to commence at 12 p.m. and 12 midnight respectively.

Along Christmas Day there will be plenty of diversion. In addition to several rallies and gatherings at churches, there will be other attractions.

A senior city hockey league match between the league-leading Superiors and Imperials will take place at the Arena at three p.m.

Sir Barry Jackson's British company will hold the boards at the New Empire theatre with Eden Philpotts' play, "Yellow Sands," a production of great merit.

Throughout the city, the many skating rinks will have bands and other special features.

All motion picture theatres have booked in special holiday attractions calculated to please the most discriminating audiences.

Over at the University hospital, the War Widows' Association will distribute The Bulletin's "Hot Porridge Fund" made up of contributions from readers of this newspaper.

On all sides there will be a general lull upon the domain of King Turkey with generous applications of cranberry sauce and other delicacies.

All in all it looks like a Merry Christmas.

Filling Station Robbed Of $7.85

At 12:35 p.m. Wednesday a police officer making his rounds found the front door of a filling station at 9905 109 street open. Investigation revealed that $7.85 had been scooped from the cash register.

The intruder had gained entrance by cutting out a small piece of glass from the front door and reaching in to open the lock from the inside.

Police Court

Breathing denunciation of Leonard T. Stoll, "the educated vag," was made Thursday morning in police court by Magistrate George H. McLeod before he sentenced him to a three-month term of hard labor at Fort Saskatchewan. His worship also stated that when the term was completed Stoll would be turned over to the old land—deported.

"The educated vag" was hauled into court two months ago on vagrancy charges. At that time he stated that he had received his education in the University of Glasgow and "came of very good stock." Furthermore, he told the court he was heir to a vast estate in England. He came to Canada and worked as a $10-a-week barman. When on his last legs he married a girl in the south country who up to now has kept him. He was put on bail and when called again, failed to answer. He left his boardman flat.

Detective Harold Gutteridge picked him up again Wednesday and he was arraigned Thursday morning.

"You are no good to this country," said his worship. "You did a most contemptible thing when you skipped your bail. Your bondsman put up the bond just because he was a fellow-countryman and you betrayed him twice. You had the nerve to bondsmen a decent a marry her."

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John Anderson, guilty to a charge of vagrancy, was sentenced to three months hard labor at Fort Saskatchewan. The accused had a record and had spent time in the provincial jail at Lethbridge and a term in Fort Saskatchewan.

He stated that he had the chance of a job at Vermilion, but could not name his prospective employer.

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Robert Chapman, who was brought back to the city recently to answer four charges of forgery and one of false pretences, was Thursday arraigned in court. The case was set over for one week, on the request of P. G. Thompson, K.C., who acted for the defence.

Accused is alleged to have forged four cheques in the name of four separate individuals on four different banks to the total tune of $81.53. The alleged offence of cashing the documents was combined in the one charge of uttering.

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"It is not the policy of this court to kick a man when he is down," remarked Magistrate George H. McLeod to Cyril Murphy, charged with vagrancy. "We are only too pleased to give a hand up to any chap who shows the least sign of wanting to play the game. You have shown that, and I am giving you that chance. You are remanded for one month and if you succeed in getting your job—then don't come back."

Murphy pleaded guilty to the "vag" charge. "What else can I do?" he asked the court. But he stated that he was not a regular offender and nothing would be more pleasant than to be given a chance.

"The records mount up, you know, and it all counts against you when you apply for a position," was his statement to the court.

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Mike and Steve Rominiuk and

Gleaned From Today's News

Bank clearings in the city for the week ending Thursday, December 23, were $4,727,203.43, showing an increase over those of the corresponding week in 1930, which were $4,510,107.94.

Four gallons of wine and clothes to the value of $30 were taken from the car of Roger Lake, 10123 96 avenue, between 9 and 10 p.m. Wednesday, when he left the machine parked in front of 10041 123 street.

Police received a complaint from C. H. Ralph, 11215 63 street, that a number of Christmas presents had been taken from his car when he left it standing in front of 11223 99 avenue Wednesday between 8 and 10 p.m.

Norman Laughton, rural route No. 4, reported to police that goods to the value of $10 had been taken from his car when it was parked at 11033 92 street between 10 and 11 p.m. Wednesday.

Mah Ying, of Shai Hen Chop Suey House, 97 street, reported to police that thieves had entered his chicken house sometime Wednesday night and made off with several of his best birds.

Engineering Dept. Is Over-Expended

Expenditure of the city engineering department for the 11-month period ending November 30 was $438,742, the appropriation for the period being $428,325, according to a report received by Commissioner David Mitchell Thursday.

The department was over-expended due to the fact that this year the city took over the operation of the exhibition buildings and grounds. The cost of the maintenance of gravelled and dirt roads, parks and boulevards was also exceptionally high during the 11-month period under survey.

Revenue to date of the engineering department amounts to $92,504, as compared with $97,304 for the same period last year.

Swimming pools were operated during the summer season at a loss of between $4,000 and $6,000.

Last year the city engineering department expended an amount of $377,554 for the 11-month period.

Police Searching For Missing Girl

Police are searching for Miss Marion Shmoukler of 10129 95 street who is reported missing. Her disappearance was reported Thursday morning by her brother, Dave Shmoukler, of the same address. He informed police officers that she had left the house Monday morning, December 21, and had failed to return.

The missing girl is 19 years of age, weighs 125 pounds, stands five feet one inch tall, is dark complexioned and at the time of her disappearance was wearing a brown coat, a brown hat and black patent leather shoes.

BOY PILGRIMS AT GRAVE

Four thousand American boys took part in the 12th annual pilgrimage of Boy Scouts to the grave of Theodore Roosevelt, at Oyster Bay, L.I.

Charles Murphy, charged with receiving, had their cases set over for one week.

I Saw Today

LORNE H. BELL,

walking west on Jasper, with a happy smile on his face;

AND

Bill Rice, secretary of the Edmonton branch of the Canadian Legion, and **W. Morgan Evans**, manager, wishing many friends the compliments of the season and commenting on the healthy condition of the Bulletin's Not Forgotten Fund; **Constable Sid. Godfrey**, A.P.P., buying the Christmas supply of cassoulet; **Supt. W. F. W. Hancock**, A.P.P., sending out Christmas greetings over the radio to detachments; **O. C. Black** and **R. S. Pitt** extending the compliments of the season to one another; **Emyr Hutchbury** greeting members of the Bulletin staff early this morn; **Mrs. L. E. Bayers** making preliminary arrangements for the distribution of the Not Forgotten Fund among ex-service men at the University hospital.

Legion Christmas Tree Next Tuesday

The annual Christmas Tree entertainment sponsored by the Edmonton branch of the Canadian Legion, will be held this year on Tuesday, December 29, in the Memorial hall.

It is expected that about 500 children will attend the gathering, and the program commences at 3:30 p.m.

Among the artists who will entertain are Miss Dorothy Rimmer of the Kinney school of Dancing and Physical Culture; York and Sharp, who will provide merriment with a box of tricks; Miss Eunice Healey, gold medalist, who will sing for the children and Jack Jones, well-known comedian.

Bags of apples, oranges, nuts and candies will be distributed to the children, as well as a suitable and useful present. The evening's festivities will conclude with a dance for members and their wives, music to be supplied by the Canadian Legion orchestra.

A feature of the party will be a chorus sung by George Crockett and Norman Arnold.

The annual meeting of the Alberta School Trustees will be held at Calgary on Feb. 2, 3 and 4. It is expected that a large delegation from the northern part of the province will attend.

Archie McMullen and Walter Gilbert took off from McMurray Thursday morning northbound, their planes loaded with mail for river posts, thus giving up-to-the-minute service to the inhabitants of the "frozen north." McMullen goes to Fort Chipewyan, Gilbert to Fort Resolution.

That a man called Steve had slapped her face and threatened her with a butcher knife, was the complaint to police of Miss Helen Gesasinchuk of 10303 96 street. She alleged that the assault took place when she was peeling potatoes in the Royal Lunch cafe on 97 street. She will lay a charge, according to information.

Disruption of the electric power service in the city at 2:45 p.m. Wednesday was caused by children playing around the Calgary Power company's transmission line. The youngsters were shaking a guy wire on a power pole at the southern limits of the city when the wire came in contact with a high voltage transmission line, causing a loud "zip out."

The annual meeting of the district agriculturists, principals of the provincial agricultural schools and members of the agriculture faculty of the University of Alberta, will be held at the U. of A. on Tuesday and Wednesday of next week. Main discussion will centre around a program of extension of their work and the general plan of progress for 1932. It is expected there will be about 15 in attendance.

Girl Slightly Hurt When Struck By Car

Accidents figuring on overnight police reports totalled 12 for the 24 hours ending 6 a.m. Thursday.

Mary Smith, 10, was thrown to the street and had her leg bruised when struck by a car driven by Clifford McNaughton of Fort Saskatchewan at the corner of 115 avenue and 85 street at 3:30 p.m. Wednesday.

William Richards, 11503 98 street, reported that as he slowed up on 115 avenue to cross 85 street he was struck by McNaughton's car.

A truck owned by H. Lawson, 11037 95A street, was completely overturned at 4:35 p.m. at the intersection of 103 street and 102 avenue when struck by a car driven by Joseph Lambert, 10151 99 street. No one was hurt.

STUDENTS START XMAS VACATIONS

Normal Schools Close Until January 5

Students of the three provincial normal schools commenced their Christmas vacation on Wednesday and will reconvene at their studies on Tuesday, Jan. 5.

The student strength of the three schools at Calgary, Camrose and Vermilion is 650 and no further enrollment will take place for the balance of the school year.

The Camrose school is planning a special re-union on Wednesday next, Dec. 30, at which it is proposed to have representatives from all classes that have graduated from the institution since its formation in 1912 and at which a discussion will take place on a proposed memorial to the two former principals of the school who have died.

Since its inception there have been five principals at Camrose, the first being Dr. J. C. Miller, who was succeeded by G. Fred McNally, now provincial supervisor of schools and who served from 1914-1918. W. A. Stirling followed Mr. McNally and served until 1922. A. E. Turrie was the next principal and served until 1928 and since then George K. Haverstock has carried on.

The two deceased former principals are Messrs. Stirling and Turrie.

The normal school year has been most satisfactory to date and indications are that it will be continued in this line after the New Year.

Jobless Man Makes Bed Beneath Steps

At midnight Wednesday police found an unemployed man nicely tucked away under the steps on McDougall hill. The fellow was all wrapped up in a layer of blankets and was wedged into a sleepskin sleeping bag.

Asked why he chose that particular spot to sleep, he explained that it was about the only place in town where he could find shelter from the wind.

He told police that he was leaving town Thursday on take a job in the country.

Canadian Legion MEMORIAL HALL

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Pecan Roll, Brazil Roll, lb. 60c

Weather Menu For Christmas Is "Fair, Mild"

Santa Claus is not going to get his nose or finger tips frost bitten when he makes the rounds tonight from chimney to chimney, because the weather lady has promised that the temperatures are going to be kind. The local forecast, the official one, issued up Thursday morning was "fair and comparatively mild." And, what's more, that pleasant-sounding prah, holds good until Saturday and maybe even later.

The weather lady basis her forecast on the fact that the wind is scooting steadily out of the southwest and the barometer is holding just as steady.

From a low for 24 hours of two degrees below at 8 p.m. Wednesday the red in the glass soared up tube to scrape top at 19 degrees above zero at 5 a.m. Thursday.

A slight drop was then in order and the red sank two degrees to 17 above at 9 a.m. No snow is in the immediate offing.

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SUPERIORS MEET OILERS FOR FIRST TIME IN CHRISTMAS GAME

OLD RIVALS LOCK HORNS ON HOLIDAY

Imperials Have Chance To Regain Second Place In Standings

Bitter rivals for many years in local amateur hockey ranks, the Superiors and Imperials will meet for the first time this season when they clash in a scheduled Senior League game tomorrow, Christmas Day. The contest will be staged at the Arena, starting at three o'clock sharp.

Aside from the rivalry that has always existed between the two clubs, each has plenty of reason to fight for a triumph, and one of the most eternally-contested struggles of the season to date is expected when they go into action in the holiday tilt.

OILERS CAN MOVE UP

Superiors, leading the Senior League race with a single-point margin over Forty-Niners, are anxious to increase their advantage over the rest of the game, while Imperials see a chance to jump back into second place in this game. A win for the "Stars" would put them three points in front of the second place club and leave the Imperials in third place, while a win for the latter club would move them up into the second slot, one point behind Superiors and one point behind Mike Kaplansky's Soldiers.

With so much at stake for both teams, 60 minutes of tilting are looked for by supporters of the two aggregations when they go into battle.

Imperials will be at full strength for the clash, and Coach Bill Power hopes to have them going far better than was the case in Tuesday's game, which they lost to Forty-Niners by 2-1.

GRAHAM MAY PLAY

Coach Ira Stuart and Trainer Pat Hunter may have the Superiors at full strength for the first time in a couple of weeks when the teams take the ice tomorrow. While it will not be definitely known until this evening, there is a possibility that Jimmy Graham, international centre-ice star, may be able to again don his uniform. Graham has been out of action suffering from tonsilitis, but it was announced last night that there was a chance that he might be able to get into the important game with the club's old rivals.

Joe Brown and Don McTavish, who were shaken up some in the Drumheller game last Monday, are both back in the best of condition.

Clarence Campbell will referee the game.

Connie Celebrates Another Birthday

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Dec. 24.—Connie Mack, master-mind of Philadelphia Athletics, spent his 69th birthday yesterday in his office, but he was so busy receiving congratulations from visitors and by telephone and telegraph to transact much business. He received many gifts from players, chief among them a birthday cake presented by members of his team, Max Grove, Earnshaw, Jim Dykes and Bing Miller.

HEARTIEST Season's Greetings

Our Christmas Carol is dedicated to you whose confidence and patronage we have enjoyed.

The Boys' Shop
"For Dad and His Lad"
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General Shake-Up Planned In Detroit's Two Professional Hockey Squads

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Bulletin's Sports Staff Offers You Greetings

MERRY CHRISTMAS!
HAPPY NEW YEAR!

Simple salutations — but were they encircled with hundreds of additional words, they would have no greater meaning. And so it is that today the Sports Staff of the Edmonton Bulletin, ever mindful of the courtesies extended by those who live and lei live in the realm of sport, and ever mindful of the valiant and generous fans who read these pages daily, so it is, the Sports Staff of the Edmonton Bulletin repeats to you:

MERRY CHRISTMAS!
HAPPY NEW YEAR!

ALL-CANADA GRID SQUAD IS SELECTED

No Westerners Chosen for Positions on Mythical Team

By T. J. WHEELER
(Copyright, 1931)

TORONTO, Dec. 24.—The all-Canada all-star rugby football team for 1931 is announced here today, following a nation-wide vote of football authorities, officials and sports writers.

Over fifty ballots naming complete teams were received by the adjudicating board and while the ballots gave Eastern players the edge in each position, yet several Western stars came in for decidedly favorable mention, which is regarded as evidence of the growing threat of the West on championship gridirons.

The personnel of the team officially named by the ballots is as follows:

Flying wing: Don Young, McGill University.

Half-backs: Gordon Perry, Montreal A.A.A., Jack Sinclair, University of Toronto, Frank Turville, Toronto Argonauts.

Quarter-back: Warren Stevens, Montreal A.A.A.

Snap-back: "Red" Tellier, Montreal A.A.A.

Inside wing: Alec Drumm, Hamilton, Bert Adams, Montreal A.A.A.

Middle wing: Brian Timmis, Hamilton.

Dave Sprague, Hamilton.

Outside wing: Gabarino, Montreal A.A.A., "Cap" Fear, Hamilton.

TORAN IS COACH

By a narrow margin, Clarry Feran, coach of M.A.A.A., national champions, obtained the honor of guiding the destinies of the mythical all-Canada. In the voting he was closely followed by Frank Shaughnessy, McGill University mentor, Joe Breen, whose Mustangs from University of Western Ontario were the sensation of the year on Eastern gridirons. M. J. "Mike" Rodden, this year the "coach without a team," and Al. Ritchie of Regina, whose repeated attempts during the past four years to gain the Dominion title for the West have brought him the whole-hearted support of football followers in all parts of the country.

This is a twelve-cylinder machine of surpassing strength, dominated by the brilliancy of the wizard legs of Perry and the educated right arm of Stevens. Could it crush the greatest of all teams in history?

Curling

THISTLE CLUB

Roberts 6, Hill 14.
Miles 13, Rice 10.
Cuppy 8, McLean 7.
W. H. Shaw (Cochrane) 7, Wright 10. (Grande 8.
Anderson 12, Blackwood 5.

ROYAL CLUB

R. G. Thompson 9; Robinson 12.
Devlin 11, Stevens 8.
McIntyre 12, Atkins 12.
Hewitt 14, Kelly 13.
McCool 12; H. L. Wolfe 11

PATS and PANS by BILL LEWIS

Comes another Christmas and with it greetings from folks scattered here and there across the continent. This one thing about the old Santa Claus day. You can almost always figure to hear from the troops at least once a year just at this season.

And it always pleases.

To break the holiday hereabouts, it seems we have quite a hockey struggle looming for tomorrow. There may be good fellowship in evidence everywhere else on Christmas Day, but there never is when Superiors and Imperials meet in a hockey encounter—and that's the program for tomorrow afternoon.

I can't remember when there was not a lot of bitter rivalry between these teams, and with them scheduled to clash for the first time this year in the holiday fixture, officials are looking forward to a hard fight before a winner is declared.

Speaking of hockey, it was stated in this column some time ago that there was better than an even chance that Leroy Goldsworthy would be called up from the Detroit Olympics to the Motor City's National League Falcons. Now it is stated in a Canadian Press despatch appearing on this page today that "Goldie" and Frank Peters, both former Edmonton players, are getting that very consideration in the makeup planned by the Detroit management.

Both "Goldie" and Peters, according to report, have been playing great hockey with Olympics, and it would seem that the Falcons could go wrong by moving them up.

Peters is one of the most well-liked better form every time out with the other Edmonton boy, is shoving a lot by the way. Roger Jenkins, on New York's Bronx Tigers. He has accounted for a point in the last two games played by Tigers and appears to be getting into his stride.

And did you notice that Johnny Sheppard broke right back into the National League Tuesday night by counting a goal for New York Americans?

In the Bulletin's popular new sports feature, "Turbulitics" appearing today, you may have noted that a certain Bob Emmert paid 400 for a dead thoroughbred at a Vancouver race meeting a few years ago.

Bob Emmert is known to a number of Edmonton, as he defended McDougall Commercial High School in the winters some time back and raced his string of horses in teh summer on Western tracks. He was a star with the McDougall basketball team, and also shone at track and field athletics for for some years he has been living at the Coast.

Announcement of the mythical All-Canada gridiron team, which appears today, finds not a single Western Canadian player among the first-string men. Which is something only to be expected.

Greatest voting power for the All-Canada is in the East and it is therefore only natural that Easterners would get all of the berths. But it wagger a dime against a wooden leg that a few Westerners were worth a place.

Believe It or Not - - By Ripley

LOCAL BOYS MENTIONED IN CHANGES

Goldsworthy and Peters May be Recalled To Falcons

Canadian Press

DETROIT, Mich., Dec. 24.—Manager Jack Adams of the Detroit Falcons announced by long distance telephone this morning from Toronto that Farrand Gillie, of the Detroit Olympics, will be given a tryout in the big league club's line-up.

The announcement confirmed reports a shake-up was pending in the rosters of Detroit's entries in the National and International Hockey Leagues. Adams said Gillie would replace Johnny Sorrell in Sunday's game with New York Americans.

Canadian Press

DETROIT, Mich., Dec. 24.—Shake-up in the rosters of Detroit Falcons and Detroit Olympics, respectively, of the National and International hockey leagues, is said by the Free Press today to be in the offing.

POOR SHOWINGS RESPONSIBLE

The poor showing the two teams have made in their out-of-town engagements is said to have resulted in long distance conversations on the subject between Manager Jack Adams of Falcons, and George Hay, who guides the destinies of Olympics.

While there has not been an official announcement of the shake-up, the Free Press says right-winger Leroy Goldsworthy and defenseman Frank Peters are members of the Olympic team who appear the most likely replacements for present members of the Falcon major league club.

TALK AGAIN TOMORROW

Adams, in Napanee, Ont., for Christmas, and Hay, now in Detroit will resume their telephone conversations on the matter tomorrow, the paper says.

Poor Crowds Cause Halt At Caliente

Associated Press

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Dec. 24.—President James N. Crofton, of the Agua Caliente Jockey Club, late Wednesday announced the present race meeting would be temporarily suspended beginning today.

Poor attendance, resulting in a loss of $100,000 for the 24 days the meeting has been in progress, resulted in the decision to temporarily suspend racing.

Crofton said it is hoped to resume the meeting on New Year's Day.

JACK SHARKEY HURLS DEFI AT EX-CHAMPION

Offers to Wager Dempsey He Can Beat Him in Six Rounds

Associated Press

BOSTON, Mass., Dec. 24.—A short time ago some one told the ever-talkative Jack Sharkey that Jack Dempsey looked upon Sharkey as what the boxing fans call "a push-over." The Boston sailorman got riled over the statement and on Wednesday sent a telegram to the former heavyweight champion offering to wager $50,000 he could knock him out or make him quit inside of six rounds.

In his challenge Sharkey offered to meet Dempsey in a 15-round bout with five-ounce gloves and gave him until May 1, 1932, to accept the challenge.

People who read and use THE BULLETIN Want Ads always seem to have luck with them.

TWO FAVORITES COME TOGETHER

Colored Boys Matched in Fight Tourney

Associated Press

CHICAGO, Dec. 24.—The drawing for second-round bouts in the National Boxing Association's light heavyweight elimination tournament gave Billy Jones, Philadelphia negro, and Larry Johnson, Chicago negro, no favors.

Both were pre-tournament favorites to go a long way toward succeeding to the throne until recently held by Maxie Rosenbloom but the draw for Dec. 30 will bring them together.

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BRUIN CUBS SPILL BRONX IN NEW YORK

Roger Jenkins Registers For Losing Tiger Team

Associated Press

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—With only four minutes left to play, Deed Klein took a pass from Yank Boyd to score the goal that gave Boston Bruin Cubs a 3-to-2 victory over Bronx Tigers in a Canadian-American Hockey League game at the New York Coliseum last night.

Klein opened the scoring in the first period but the Tigers went ahead on goals by Hegin and Jenkins. F. Jeffries tied the count for the Cubs in the middle period and then Klein bagged the winning tally in the final frame.

GYRO MEMBERS STAGE SHOOT

Bowl for Turkeys Last Night at Recreation

Members of the Gyro Club rolled their annual turkey shoot last night at the Recreation Alleys to end up the first half of their bowling season.

Six turkeys were given away to the high scorers for three games, and the winners were as follows.

High three-game winners: Dr. H. H. Hepburn, 632; Herb. McPherson, 504.

High single winners: Dr. L. James, 213; Russ Carter, 208.

Hidden Number: Dr. J. Blezzard, 146.

Consolation: Dr. H. S. Decker, 440.

HOCKEY At a Glance

NATIONAL LEAGUE
International Section

	P.	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.	P.
Toronto	15	9	3	3	44	28	21
Americans	15	8	5	2	38	32	18
Canadiens	15	6	6	3	36	32	15
Maroons	15	6	9	0	41	43	10

American Section

	P.	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.	P.
Rangers	15	9	2	4	44	28	22
Chicago	15	8	5	2	36	35	18
Boston	13	6	5	2	28	36	14
Detroit	15	4	8	3	26	40	11

No games scheduled.

LAST NIGHT'S RESULTS
Canadian-American League

Boston Bruin Cubs 3; Bronx Tigers 2.
Philadelphia 2, New Haven 2.

Junior League

Poolers 2; Canadiens 1.
Forty-Niners 0; Senaux 6.

MUNDARE WINS JUNIOR BATTLE

Willingdon Sextet Loses Close Hockey Tilt

Exclusive to Edmonton Bulletin

MUNDARE, Alta., Dec. 24.—A fast junior hockey game played at Mundare on Tuesday resulted in the Mundare Juniors taking the Willingdon Juniors into camp by the score of 4-2.

The result was in doubt during the whole session, the Willingdon boys fighting hard throughout the three periods. A good brand of hockey was displayed by both teams but the extra bit of finish the Mundare squad possessed decided the tilt.

Christmas Game is Called Off

PORT ARTHUR, Ont., Dec. 24.—For the first time on record it will this year be impossible to play Christmas Day hockey in Port Arthur. On account of lack of ice, the annual Christmas Day game between Port William and Port Arthur has been officially postponed.

GOOD BRAND HOCKEY FOR NORTH FANS

Westlock and Legal are Tied for Leadership Of Puck Circuit

Exclusive to Edmonton Bulletin

WESTLOCK, Alta., Dec. 24.—Better hockey is being given fans of the Northern Alberta hockey circuit than in some years past. New interest is being taken in the game, with the result that it is expected by the teams participating in the league that the season will be the best enjoyed for many winters.

The standings of the Northern Alberta Hockey League to date are given below:

	G.	W.	L.	T.	P.
Westlock	4	2	1	1	5
Legal	4	2	1	1	5
Morinville	3	1	1	1	3
Clyde	2	0	1	1	1
St. Albert	3	0	3	0	0

Games Last Week

St. Albert at Clyde, resulted in tie, 4-4.
Clyde at Westlock, won by Westlock, 5-1.
Westlock at Legal, resulted in tie, 4-4.
Legal at Westlock, won by Westlock, 7-2.
St. Albert at Morinville, won by Morinville, 4-0.
Morinville at Legal, wop by Legal, 4-0.

BELGIAN SENATE REFUSES TO AID

Associated Press

BRUSSELS, Belgium, Dec. 24.—The Belgian senate yesterday rejected a request for $14,000 to finance a team in the tenth Olympiad at Los Angeles, Calif., next year.

There have been reports that government aid might not be forthcoming for Belgian participation in the Olympics because of economic conditions. It was believed that Belgian Olympic authorities have plans for raising the money in other ways.

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DEADLOCK FOR CURLING TROPHY

Thistle Curlers Compete With Westlock

Exclusive to Edmonton Bulletin

WESTLOCK, Dec. 24.—The first game of the season for the Ash trophy was played at Westlock recently the challengers being the Thistle curling club of Edmonton. Both games were close and resulted in a tie, 27-27.

Cunningham of the Thistle defeated Armstrong of Westlock 14-12 while Gilchrist of Westlock defeated McClure of the Thistle 18-12.

The rinks were made up as follows:

Thistle—Cunningham (skip), Ross, Black and Jennings. McClure (skip), Dr. Watson, Rice and Cole.

Westlock—Armstrong (skip), Torrie, Olsen and Boyd. Gilchrist (skip), Hunter, Downing and Walker.

The visitors were royally entertained to a banquet in the Sheppard Hotel after the game.

The following clubs have challenges in for the cup: Athabasca, Fort Saskatchewan, the Edmonton club and the Royal.

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Poolers Increase Lead In Championship Race of Junior Hockey League

LACOMBE SIX COMING HERE ON SATURDAY

Soldier Intermediates To Clash With Visitors In Exhibition Game

Forty-Ninth Intermediate League hockey team will take on the Lacombe-ites of the Big Five Intermediate loop in Central Alberta, in an exhibition encounter Saturday night, with the Arena rink as the battle ground.

The Millmen are playing a fast brand of hockey and are right in with the front runners of the local circuit. They have a number of former juniors on the line-up and are expected to give the visitors a close battle.

The game is called for 8:30 sharp, and the Forty-Niners will probably use the following line-up: Campbell, Love, Lammie, J. Berg, A. Berg, Taylor Walker, Case, Young, Mann.

FIGHT PLANS ARE HALTED

Schmeling-Walker Promoter Causes Upset

Associated Press

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Negotiations for a heavyweight championship match in Chicago this winter between Max Schmeling, the champion, and Mickey Walker came to an abrupt halt Wednesday when Nate Lewis, Chicago matchmaker, declined to put up $50 000 as a forfeit.

Joe Jacobs, Schmeling's manager, insisted Lewis post that sum as a guarantee that the Illinois State legislature amend the boxing laws so that a 15-round championship fight might be held.

WHEN GOTHAM MEETS GOTHAM!

Twas the night before Christmas when all through the house everybody was stirring to watch the big joust. Big joust? Sure. When Gotham meets Gotham, the results are usually the same as when Greek meets Greek, or Montreal meets Montreal. In other words, when the New York Rangers meet the New York Americans at Madison Square Gardens tomorrow night, things are going to happen. And on the dope, they're about due to happen to the Rangers. These two teams have met twice before this season, both games resulting in victories for the Lester Patrick gang. But Eddie Gerard is not going to let Les get away with that stuff all season. And just by the way, this boy Rabbit McVeigh is going to be a man to watch tomorrow night. Gerard's pet forward of the "jumping jack-rabbit" ilk, is a mighty hard man to stop—especially if he gets away into open territory. His peculiar short, jumping style of rush has made him one of the stand-outs of the N.H.L. Patrick had better ale a couple of Cooks on to McVeigh tonight. And everybody else on waivers were being asked on McVeigh at the start of the season. Now he is Gerard's chief "pinch shooter."

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CHALK UP WIN OVER CANUCKS BY 2-1 SCORE

Sconas Held to Scoreless Draw by Soldiers In Other Game

By JOHN DUCEY

Coach Barney Stanley's smart array of Poolers are still batting one thousand as a result of their 2-1 triumph at the expense of Chris Jensen's Canucks, while Sconas and Forty-Niners garnered an even break on the points in the scheduled Junior Hockey League double-header at the Arena Rink last night. The big game was a scoreless.

Last night's victory for the Dairy merchants qualified them to represent Edmonton against the Calgary juniors in an exhibition tussle at the Arena on New Year's afternoon.

Airtight net-minding on the part of Cecile McClintock, a mighty efficient and nimble lad kep, the Canadians from at least securing a tie with the league leaders. On quite a number of occasions the lamps swept clear in to the doorstep, but he kicked out drives from all angles that were labelled sure-fire counters.

OFF TO ROBUST START

The opening period began with robust enthusiasm and from the start Canadians were playing one man short. "Pirpo" Dick Carside rocketing Louis Trudel high, wide and handsome with a knee-check that cost him two minutes in the cooler.

Andy Maloney and Trudel got together on a driving two-man raid that carried close to Layetsky, but Fred was prepared and save sensationally, flashing Art Wiebe, second to McClintock in point of effectiveness, ragged one of his bombastic jaunts into Canadian territory that saw him flash the full distance, only to be cheated by Layetsky.

Back to full strength, the Canadians forged into a one-goal lead as Morley Rimstead nail'd a Pooler drive at center, skiing into full stride in a direct line for the Pooler defence, with Purcell and Dame limiting him. Wiebe and Minielly began rowing together for a sandwich, but Rimstead foiled the attempted boinnemy net and laid a pass to the left, directly on to the blade of Bunny Dames' war club. Dame closed in fast and his ankle-high drive caused McClintock to move w.i little speed of a panther. The puck was blocked, but Rimstead was in like a flash to smash the rebound home.

POOLERS FAIL TO SCORE

The puck neared around the Canadian goal and, on a face-off in front of Layetsky, he was forced to handle three egoff shots in quick succession. Poolers failed to score, however, and as the bell rang Wiebe was loosening from head to heels as he walked into Carsiden fair but cunneiing body check.

The second stanza opened listlessly enough with the Poolers having a marked edge on the territorial play.

GETS EQUALIZER

It fell to the lot of Louis Trudel flesh Pooler winger, to tie the score on a well-engineered play with Wiebe as the promoter. Both boys hit the Canadian blue line at top speed and Wiebe's long pass to Trudel enabled the Frenchman to outmaneuver Layetsky with a fast backhander high into the far corner of the drapery.

Trudel's sneaking and effective hook check was the feature of this frame, and he played havoc with the incoming Canadian rushers.

Canadians had the better of the early exchanges in the final canto but could not capitalize on their advantage.

SMITH GETS WINNERS

After three minutes had passed into history, the winning marker came from the stick of Andy Smith, relief front-liner of the Poolers as he sifted a long shot from off left line on the blue line. Layetsky appeared a trifle careless on this shot and the rubber got away from his paws to drop over the line.

Both teams changed lines with three minutes to go and the losers made a last desperate effort to draw even. The game ended with play confined in the Pooler area.

McClintock, followed by Wiebe, Andy Maloney and Smith were prominent for the winners. Trudel, although he grabbed himself a marker, and Colville were market men and did not have any chances to break into the limelight. Stevenson, Rimstead and Dame put up a real exhibition for the losers, with Andy Purcell, handicapped with an injured leg, which has kept him out for some time showing flashes of his true worth.

LINE-UP

Poolers: McClintock; Wiebe, Minielly; Colville, Trudel, A. Maloney; Gillies, Walker, Dunlop. H. Maloney, Smith.

Canadians: Layetsky; Turnbull, Tindale, A. Stevenson; Rimstead, Purcell, Dame; Reversen, McCarthy, Carside, Parin.

Referee: Clarence Campbell.

Bill Ruff's Forty-Niners caught the

SCONAS SHOOT-THAWED

Sconas minus Pete Ruje, Jack Talbot and Johnny Romanuik, but the Soldiers, even with this adjustment, were short the extra punch that would have given them a full win.

Sconas had Turner in the nets for the first time this season, and though he is a player of proven metal, he appeared wobbly and uncertain in his initial debut. Bill Carge was sent back to a defence berth and did his stuff in great style.

Sconas had a wide edge in the first frame with Stewart, Carse and West playing the major part. Munro was given a trying time in the Soldiers' cage but came through in masterful fashion. At the close of the period Melnyk and Collier staged a bout and were chased by Referee Duggan.

POOR FINISHING

Morris and Lane tested Turner as the middle session opened, but the shot was turned aside. The first limb of both clubs then took the ice and the game speeded up to fast pace. Soldiers had chances but finished raggedly. Murro played great hockey during the period, having a lot of tough chances to block. Morris also a new man, looked good on defence for Sconas.

From the faceoff in the last period, Red Caldwell paved the way for Hinds wit his speedier weave through the middle. The Sconas defencemen were outmanned and Hinds found himself in perfect scoring position. His shot was dead on Turner's pads, however and a real chance went by the boards. Munro at the other end, was forced to spread on two occasions to save his team.

With three minutes left to play Sconas were forced to play five men against the Soldiers' full brigade when Collier was given a sentence for tripping. They failed to get near the Sconas cage except on one occasion when Caldwell went the route, but he was in a bad position to shoot.

LINE-UPS

Forty-Niners: Munro; Robson, Inner; Westbrook, Rochfort, Caldwell; Morris, Lane, Thompson, Hoyle, Morris.

Sconas: Turner; West, Carse, Stewart; Wilson, Gerlitz; R. Holmes, Cooper, Ely, Arthur. Referee: Red Duggan.

LEAGUE STANDING

	P.	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.	P.
Poolers	3	3	0	0	8	3	6
Sconas	3	1	1	1	3	3	3
F. N. Miners	3	1	1	1	3	4	3
Canadians	3	0	2	1	2	5	1

Next games, Dec. 27, Arena rink.

BOB SHAWKEY TURNS MINER COBALT GOLD

Former Big League Star Owner of Gold Mine In Ontario

Associated Press

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Baseball probably has seen the last of Bob Shawkey, former star pitcher and for a brief time manager of the Yankees.

He's gone gold-miner, and already is convinced that driving for nuggets has it all over baseball as a career.

"Last July I bought a gold mine in the Cobalt district of Canada," Shawkey revealed Wednesday. "We started working it in September, and last week it assayed $19.50 a ton."

Shawkey recently deposed as pilot of Jersey City in favor of Hans Lobert said he wasn't interested in finding another baseball job.

Anything that anybody will buy can be sold through THE BULLETIN Want Ad section.

A TOUGH BREAK

The rules of racing are carefully devised to protect the interest of all parties, and when strictly adhered to the code is above reproach by the most severe critic, yet there is a case on record where a horseman was the innocent victim of a just ruling. The incident was at Vancouver, British Columbia, not so many seasons back, when Bob Emmert entered a claim for a horse called Eggnog. It is clearly defined in the code that the horse for which a claim is lodged automatically becomes the property of the claimant, or successful bidder if more than one seeks the horse. Immediately following the race, Eggnog fell on the way to the post, breaking his leg, and was destroyed. Emmert got a dead horse for his $600.

BOWLING LOOP HOLDS ANNUAL TURKEY SHOOT

Sanitary Engineers Roll Well at Recreation Last Night

Sanitary Engineers last evening rolled their annual turkey shoot in, which sixteen turkeys were given to the high sixteen individual scores for three games.

The games were all rolled in ten pins, and a handicap system as used in the regular games was used for the shoot. Besides the sixteen turkeys two prizes were donated, one being a ham and the other a ring of bologna.

Following is a list of the prize winners:

H. M. Ferris, 635; H. Templeman, 622; H. Hayner, 620; S. Hyland, 577; R. McCarthy, 554; J. Edwards, 575; F. Dunkee, 572; W. Carse, 571; C. Kilgour, 569; T. Tempelman, 559; A. Kew, 545; W. Lose, 543; R. Coleman, 542; J. Bijou, 543; A. Ericks, 539; E. Hunter, 537.

Winner of the ham, J. Leat, 535; winner of the bologny (low score), 456.

LACOMBE RANGERS WHIP PONOKA, 9-1

Home Team Takes Rough Hockey Fixture

Exclusive to Edmonton Bulletin

LACOMBE, Alta., Dec. 24.—Lacombe Rangers handed the Ponoka Fliers a 9-1 beating here last night in a Big Five Intermediate League hockey game that contained plenty of roughness. The ice was in good condition and the Lacombe first line forwards broke through quite frequently on a nice passing system. Penman started the scoring for Lacombe on a pass from Brooks. Fraser got two on passes from Brooks and Brooks got two on passes from Fraser and Penman. In the second period Brooks scored from Fraser in less than one minute after face-off. Fraser got clear in but Wallis saved. After got in for a shot from a loose puck but Charlie saved. Fraser got through and scored. Penman got another on a pass from Fraser. Shot before end of period Hayes charged Duckworth after he had passed puck and was given three minutes but refused to leave the ice and was given five minutes bad as bell rang. Up to this time there had been no judge of play but one was put on for last period. Ponoka officials objected to the referee reduced the Hayes penalty to three minutes. Hayes got Ponoka's only goal on a rebound with Charlesworth flat on the ice from clearing a shot. E. Calkins scored on a pass from Duckworth on a two-man rush. Later Duckworth got through alone and shot a hot one from the side that struck Wallis on the head and he dropped flat on his face.

SUMMARY

First period—1, Lacombe, Penman-Brooks; 2, Lacombe, Fraser-Brooks; 3, Lacombe, Brooks-Fraser; 4, Lacombe, Brooks-Penman; 5, Lacombe, Fraser-Brooks.

Second period—6, Lacombe, Brooks-Fraser; 7, Lacombe, Fraser; 8, Lacombe, Penman-Fraser.

Third period—9, Ponoka, Hayes; 10, Lacombe, Calkins, Duckworth.

Penalties—Lacombe, Calkins, Carruthers, Ponoka, Hobbs (2), Hayes, Lewis and Allen.

Line-ups—Ponoka: Wallis, Hayes, Hobbs, Loughlin, Lewis, Lux, Stephen, Wenzuk, Alger.

Lacombe—Charlesworth, Calkins, Duckworth, Brooks, Fraser, Penman, Carruthers, Reed, Wilson.

Referee—J. McDonald; judge of play, Ken Watt.

BULLETIN Want Ads benefit buyers and sellers equally.

SKIERS FROM OLD COUNTRY REACH CAMP

Oxford and Cambridge Ski Teams Arrive at St. Margarets

Canadian Press

ST. MARGARETS, Que., Dec. 24.—As darkness enveloped the Laurentian Mountains Wednesday the ski teams of Oxford and Cambridge universities arrived here for their two-week stay during which they will stage their annual inter-Varsity competition and a meeting with Canadian university teams.

On their arrival they were entertained at dinner by members of the St. Margarets Ski Club who, with Col. Wilfred Bovey of McGill University, accompanied them from Montreal.

The dinner was the formal welcome to their winter quarters which are on British soil for the first time since the inauguration of the competition some 30 years ago.

Flin Flon Copper Output Unaffected

Canadian Press

WINNIPEG, Dec. 24.—Agreement among big copper producers of the world to curtail production to 50 per cent of capacity is unlikely to affect operations at Flin Flon, Man., of the Hudson Bay Mining and Smelting company, H. E. Phelan, company general-manager, said here. No change in production is contemplated at present by his firm, he stated.

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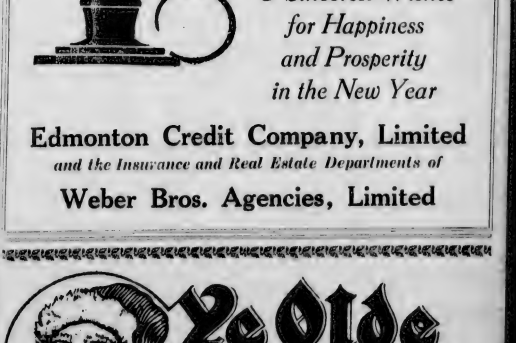

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Government Liquor Control Act of Alberta
APPLICATION FOR BEER LICENSE

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned intends applying to THE ALBERTA LIQUOR CONTROL BOARD for a license to sell beer by the glass, or open bottle, for consumption in conformity with the provisions of the Government Liquor Control Act of Alberta, and regulations made thereunder, with respects to the following premises:

Lot 1, Block 4, Plan No. 24594 in the Village of Hanfurly of record in the Land Titles Office, for the North Alberta Land Registration district together with hotel building situate thereon known as the Hanfurly Hotel.

Beer Saloonroom being located on the South East corner of the ground floor of the said building facing Railway Avenue, located at the Village of Hanfurly, Alberta, this 23rd day of December, 1931.

W. H. KENNEDY, Applicant.

GRAIN - MARKETS - FINANCE

Local Inspections

By Government Grain Inspector

WHEAT—	Straight	Tough Damp
1 Northern	48	30
2 Northern	69	20
3 Northern (smutty)	4	1
4 Northern	4	1
No. 5	1	—
No. 6	1	—
OATS—	149	53

2 C.W. white 10
Extra 1 feed 1
Extra 1 feed 1
1 feed 1
Special feed 1
BARLEY
1 Feed C.W. 6 row 7
3 C.W. 1
5 C.W. 1
149 53

Total Inspections Dec. 23 202
Total inspections for December 2146

Livestock

EDMONTON STOCKYARDS, Dec. 24.—Receipts today were 2 cattle, 2 calves, 309 hogs and no sheep.

There are insufficient offerings of cattle to make or establish a market. Prices are quoted already as follows:—

BUTCHER CATTLE:

Choice heifers, steers and cows	$3.25 to $3.50
Good light cattle	2.75 to 3.00
Medium	2.00 to 2.50
Common to fair	2.50 to 3.50
Choice calves	3.00 to 3.50
Good butcher steers	2.50 to 3.00
Medium	2.00 to 2.50
Common to fair	2.00 to 2.50
Good to choice heifers	2.00 to 2.50
Medium	1.50 to 2.00
Good heifers	2.00 to 2.50
Common to fair	1.50 to 2.00
Good butcher cows	1.75 to 2.25
Common to medium	1.00 to 1.50
Canners and cutters	1.00 to 1.50
Bulls	1.25 to 1.75
STOCKER CATTLE:	
Good steers and heifers	2.00 to 2.50
Common to medium	1.25 to 2.00
Stocker cows	1.75 to 2.00
CALF MARKET:	
Good veals	3.00 to 4.00
Medium	2.00 to 2.50
Common to fair	1.00 to 2.00

Trucked-in hogs sold at $3.50 for the bacon. Cuts on off-grade hogs are as follows:—

	Discount Per Cwt.
Heavies and extra heavies	.75
No. 1 sows	1.00
No. 2 sows	1.00
Stags	2.00
Boars	2.00

No sheep to make a market and prices are steady.

AT WINNIPEG

WINNIPEG, Man., Dec. 24.—Receipts: 105 cattle; 35 calves; 235 hogs and no sheep.

Cattle firm, meagre offerings appeared to be in with yesterday's sales.

Choice calves topped $8.00.

Hogs unchanged; bacons sealed at $4.25, lights and feeders $3.75; sows $3.00.

Choice lambs sold at $5.50.

The market will be closed Friday and Saturday.

Whitney Letter

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—The sinemic quality of Tuesday's rally prompted yesterday's recommendation to accept trading profits and await further reaction before considering re-establishing long positions in anticipation of an over the year end advance. Yesterday's decline was admittedly more than would order normal conditions, except, however, it was obvious that not only was there considerable set selling immediate, but there was sufficient necessitous liquidation to prohibit any further prospects of rally until the market had first gone lower. I do not advocate short selling at these levels. I believe that the proper market procedure to follow is awaiting lower prices and then buying. I do not think there is any rush to buy however, and I would refrain from doing any today. In fact I think it highly advisable to wait and carefully observe the market's action in the first session after Christmas holiday. The news of the day can hardly be construed as either favorable, constructive, or bullish. The recession reported in the rate of operations in the steel industry is surprisingly large. The cost of new financing for the city of New York is high, much too high for good issue prestige, or wave around the corner. Do not expect any action to be taken on the scheduled voluntary reduction of railway employees' wages until somewhere between January 10 and January 15 of next year.

It is but logical to assume that in the final hours of today's session there will be a moderate rally, following the early new lows. Do not follow this rally on the upside, it will not mean anything and only represent traders' closing out positions for the holiday. You will enjoy your Christmas holiday much more if you are not long of stocks and at the same time you will not run any risk of missing the market for the next rally.

TORONTO PRODUCE

TORONTO, Ont., Dec. 24.—United Farmers Co-operative Co. today supplied the Canadian Press with the following quotations on produce delivered at Toronto:

Eggs, extras, doz. 26c; firsts, 24c. Cream, churning, No. 1, 19-20c.

Creamery butter, No. 1, solids, in 21-lb.

Potatoes, No. 1, in bags, 30-35c

Montreal Stocks

By Jas. Richardson & Sons

Abitibi	2½
Alta. Pac. Grain	3
Asbestos	25
Assoc. Oil	3
Assoc. Brew.	4
Atlantic Sugar	30
Bell of Montreal	93
Bank of Nova Scotia	250
Bell Telph.	119
B. C. Power	5
Brazilian	19½
B. A. Oil	19
B. C. Power A	5
B. C. Power B	5
Building Prods.	19
Can. Bread	5
Can. Cement	15
Can. Canners	10
Can. Celanese	8
Can. Car Commerce	3
Can. Converters	10
Can. Cons. Alcohol	3
Can. Malting	120
Can. Power & Paper	3
Can. Steamships	3
Can. Steamships Pfd.	30
Can. Pacific	13
Can. Vinegars	5
Corkboard Pipe	5
Corp. Holdings	5
Cons. Smelting	43½
Cons. Bakeries	20
Dist. Seagrams	15
Dom. Bridge	18
Dom. Engineering	5
Dom. Stores	5
Dom. Steel	5
Dom. Textile	5
Foreign Power	5
Gen. Motors	21
Can. Steel Wares	5
Gen. Electric	15
Can. Gypsum	5
Can. Bridge	15
Hiram Walker	31
Hydro Ele.	25
Howard Smith	37½
Imperial Oil	19½
Hydro Elec.	15
Int. Nickel	18½
Int. Nickel	15
Int. Pipe	15
Lake of Woods	87
Loblaws Harris	5
McColl Frontenac	8½
Mont. Power	43
Mont. Tramways	15
Mont. Light Power	5
Nat. Brew.	5
Nat. Car	15
Ogilvie	15
Pac. Dominions	5
Ogilvie Flour Mills	15
Reg. Hosiery	5
Penmans	5
Price Bros.	5
Price Bros.	5
Quebec Power	5
Reliance Grain	5
Shawinigan	5
Shawinigan	5
Sherwin Williams	5
South. Can. Power	5
Steel of Canada	5
Steel of Canada Pfd	5
Tooke	5
Winnipeg Electric	5
Winnipeg Electric Pfd	5

New York Curb

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Associated Gas & Electric	4
Cities Service Pfd.	5
Curtiss-Wright	3
Cities Service	5
Elcaro & Milano	5
Electric Bond & Share	5
Food of Canada A	5
Gen. Motors	5
Fox Theatres A	5
Hecla Min.	5
Intl Util. A	5
Intl Util. B	5
Standard Oil, Indiana	5
Stand. Oil, Ohio	5
Swift & Co.	5
United Light & Power A	5

NOW IS TIME TO REPUDIATE PRESS AVERS

So Says Financial Times Referring to Expiration of Moratorium

Associated Press Cable

LONDON, Dec. 24.—It will be a miracle if Britain is able to shoulder her debt-payments to the United States next year after the close of the Hoover moratorium, the Financial Times, one of the nation's leading financial newspapers, declared in an editorial reprinted Wednesday by the Manchester Guardian.

"The honest thing is to face that fact at once and for European debtors to say with frankness to America that they cannot, and do not intend to resume again.

"That does not mean complete repudiation, but it does mean a definite refusal any longer to comply with the terms of the debt-agreements signed and ratified, which are so varied as to make them tolerable

"It is not pleasant to have to say these things. But it is far better both for ourselves and the world, America herself by no means excluded, that we should face up to the realities and take the lead in saying at once what every competent authority both in Europe and in America knows must inevitably be said very soon."

No hint of such a plan as the one suggested by the Financial Times has been made public by British official sources.

METAL MARKETS

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Copper quiet; electrolytic, spot and future 7½. Tin steady; spot and nearby 22.00; future 22.30. Iron quiet, unchanged. Lead steady; spot, New York 2.75; East St. Louis 2.55. Zinc steady; East St. Louis spot and future 3.15. Antimony 6.25.

At London—Standard copper, spot and 15c; future £32 10s. Electrolytic, spot £40; future £42. Tin, spot £141 15s; future £144 15s. Lead, spot £15 2s 6d; future £15 7s 6d. Zinc, spot £14 7s 6d; future £14 15s.

PARIS BOURSE

PARIS, Dec. 24.—Three per cent rentes 19 francs, 15 centimes; five per cent. loan, 100 francs, five centimes. Exchange on London, 81 francs, 40 centimes. The dollar was quoted at 25 francs, 43½ centimes

EGG MARKETS

OTTAWA, Dec. 24.—Toronto—Egg prices are still unchanged

Montreal—Extras, 30 cents; firsts, 28-30c; pullet extras, 25c; seconds, 20c

H. C. eggs are bringing two cents above these prices. Turkeys are dull and weak.

TORONTO, Dec. 24.—Hon. R. R. Bennett, premier of Canada, has consented to be the guest of honor and speaker at a function to be tendered the premier here January 19 by the Toronto Liberal-Conservative Business Men's club.

WOMAN PEACE AIDE TO GO TO ARMS PARLEY

Vigorous and Able Feminine Advocate to Attend Conference

Associated Press

WASHINGTON, D.C., Dec. 24—A vigorous and able feminine advocate of peace—Mary Emma Woolley of South Hadley, Mass.—was chosen Wednesday as the first woman delegate to an international disarmament conference.

She will accompany Senator Swanson, Democrat, Virginia, and others will be chosen by the Geneva meeting in February. The chairman of the U. S. delegation, Charles G. Dawes, ambassador to London, is in Paris, and already only a few hours removed from his site for the meeting place.

For 30 years Miss Woolley has been president of Mount Holyoke college for girls at South Hadley, and in during that period she has found time to become known as one of the country's foremost advocates of world concord.

ARROWS PIERCE NEW HAVEN SIX

Philadelphia Gains Tie for Top With Providence

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Dec. 24.—Philadelphia Arrows scored their fourth straight victory on home ice last night, defeating New Haven Eagles by 3 to 2 in a Canadian-American League hockey game. This victory enabled Philadelphia to tie Providence for first place with 13 points.

Ray Emmerik scored two goals for Arrows, both on pass from Jean Pusie. Jim Conlon tallied Arrows' other goal on a pass from Tommy Anderson. New Haven launched a strong offensive in the last period, Roy Burmeister scoring on Caron's pass, and Pete Stewart tying on a double pass from Jerry Carson and Burmeister.

NAME DATES FOR NEW YORK RACING

Season Will Extend From April 16 to Oct. 29

Associated Press

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—The Metropolitan racing season for 1932 will last from April 16 to Oct. 29.

Dates for the five big New York tracks, Jamaica, Belmont, Aqueduct, Empire and Saratoga, have been approved by the Jockey Club and recommended to the State Racing Commission.

Dates follow:

Jamaica: April 16 to May 11; Oct. 3 to Oct. 15.

Belmont: May 12 to June 9; Sept 19 to Oct. 1.

Aqueduct: June 10 to July 9; Sept 19 to Oct. 29.

Empire: July 6 to July 30; Oct. 1 to Oct. 29.

Saratoga: Aug. 1 to Sept. 3.

Soil Survey Made In Alberta Areas

A soil survey of some 8,000,000 acres in various parts of Alberta was made by University officials, according to a report submitted to the National Research Council by Dr. F. A. Wyatt, head of the department of soils at the University of Alberta.

A total of three field parties were at work, covering the various districts between Lac La Biche, Beaver River and Cheecham, Ground and Peace River. In general it was found that most of the land which has been taken up, while a large part of the unsettled section is covered with muskeg and timber.

Good Deposits Of Gypsum At Jasper

That there are good deposits of gypsum in Jasper Park is shown by a report submitted to the National Research Council by Dr. F. A. Allan, head of the department of geology in the University of Alberta. The deposits are not commercially exploitable at the province but were examined before the bundary was definitely established.

Among the beds checked was one good bed of pure gypsum 12 feet thick and other poor grade beds of 200 feet in thickness were also examined, as well as occurrences of graphite and phosphate.

Post Office Lobby Closed Christmas, New Year's Days

In connection with the service on Christmas Day, 1931, and New Year's Day, 1932, at which previous notice has been given, the postmaster desires to inform the public that the public lobby of the post office will be closed at 12 o'clock noon on each of these days, and further that no mail will be handed out at the post office to patrons or messengers of patrons who usually receive their mail by letter carrier.

Exhibition Ass'n To Meet Monday

Annual statement of accounts and balance sheet, general reports, election of six company directors and other business will be dealt with at the annual general meeting of the Edmonton Exhibition association in the council chamber, City hall, Monday, December 28.

Nominations for company directors shall be made in writing, signed by the nominator and will be received at the office of the secretary up to 12 o'clock, noon, Saturday, Dec. 26.

LIVERPOOL CLOSE

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 24.—Wheat, spot No. 2, Manitoba, 66½c; No. 3 Manitoba, 65½c

Wheat futures closing steady. Dec. 31 1/2; March 65 7/8; May 5s 1 1/2; July 5s 3d.

So It's Come to This Sid!

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ELY FINDS WORTHY FOE ASLEEP

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Lenz Slips Over Fast Alibi

By MORRIS WATSON
Associated Press

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Sidney S. Lenz walked out of his bridge-match with Ely Culbertson last night after actually falling asleep while waiting for Culbertson to play a card. He returned to the game five minutes later after receiving the sympathy of Mrs. Culbertson.

Lenz said he meant merely to close his eyes and wait for the play. When Culbertson made his play there was no response from his foe. Lieut. Alfred M. Gruenther, referee, reached over and tugged at his arm.

"Help! Help! Culbertson is Lenz, jumping up with a start. "What's the contract?"

"The contract and play were explained to him.

"Go back to sleep," said Gruenther, "the real play is going to take longer."

Lenz bounced out of his chair and strode into the hall

"When he plays," he shouted, "call me—or send a telegram; maybe I'll come back."

Lenz left the hallway he ran into Mrs. Culbertson who extended her sympathy. He then returned

Culbertson and Lenz took up the second half of their contract bridge-war amid the luxury that descended from the original home of bridge in the United States.

At first, Lenz provided a 12-room suite in the latter-day Waldorf-Astoria. It was in the old Waldorf that vogue for bridge arose some 20 years ago.

Crash Kills Two Returning From Mussolini Rites

Associated Press Cable

FOGGIA, Italy, Dec. 24.—Two passengers were killed, six were injured and a score of others returning from the funeral of Arnaldo Mussolini were badly shaken today when the Bologna express jumped the track at Coronato station, near here. Three cars were overturned.

"BOB" M'DONALD BURIED THURSDAY

Hundred Pay Last Respects to Sportsman

With a large concourse of sorrowing citizens from all walks of life present, last rites were conducted for the late Robert McDonald, prominent sport, man and hotel proprietor, Thursday.

The late Mr. McDonald had lived in the city for 30 years, and the warm regard in which he was held by friends was evidenced by the number of floral tributes which decorated the bier.

Rt. Rev. Monsignor Nelligan sang the requiem high mass for the deceased in the cathedral, with Rev. Father J. Belleau, rector of the Jesuit college, acting as deacon, and Rev. Father Jos. Malone as sub-deacon. Rev. Father R. Ketchen was master of ceremonies.

MUSIC BY CHOIR

The service was featured by music from the cathedral choir, under the direction of Mrs. T. P. Olohn. The pallbearers were: Geo. McBride, John C. McDonald, C. Johnson, W. H. Shoppard, H. H. Parley, K.C., and Frank Hughes.

Among the mourners were Mr. M. McDonald, the widow, with Mrs. B. B. Simmons, of Calgary, and Mrs. D. McDonald, of this city; Mr. Alex. McDonald, of this city, daughters; Robert, Vardon, Sidney and Douglas James, sons; Intimate friends, John James McDonald, of this city, brother of the late Robert McDonald.

Following the impressive services at the cathedral, the funeral cortege proceeded to the Edmonton cemetery, where interment took place.

Connelly and McKinley were in charge.

Ryley Farmer Is Victim Of Hunting Accident Wednes.

While hunting half a mile from his farm home near Ryley, Wednesday afternoon, Reinhart Wahl, about 20 years of age, accidentally shot himself and died at the Royal Alexandra hospital at midnight Wednesday from the wounds inflicted.

Deceased is survived by his widow and four-year-old son.

Details of the circumstances of the accident are not definitely known, it is stated that Johanson hunting with Wahl, both barrels of the shotgun he was carrying exploding shot into his stomach.

Terribly injured, the dying man managed to crawl back to his home where first aid was administered. He was rushed to Ryley on a sleigh by Mrs. Johanson and Mr. Wahl's brother to Edmonton. The operation performed was unsuccessful due to the fact that injuries received by deceased ended any possibility of his recovery.

Fifty Missing After Collision Of Jap Vessels

Associated Press Cable

TOKYO, Dec. 24—Fifty passengers were reported missing this morning following a collision on the inland sea between two coastwise vessels, the Yaeyama Maru and the Kansai Maru, in which the former sank. The inland sea is between the islands of Hondo and Shimoku.

New Viscountess Snowden Proves Amazing "Mixer"

Canadian Press Cable

LONDON, Dec. 24—A local afternoon paper Wednesday said Viscountess Snowden went to Queen Charlotte's hospital to cut the Christmas cake, and afterwards she was the mixed with the wives of the Dominion High Commissioners. "Carefree, certainly?" Pundi commented.

Man Shoplifter Gets Stiff Sentence

Canadian Press

MONTREAL, Dec. 24.—Shoplifting is what misguided women do; when a man takes it upon himself to do the same thing, it must be severe, commented Judge Telleau yesterday in sentencing J. Antinoro to nine months in jail for shoplifting.

Kilauea Starts Annual Fountain Of Molten Lava

Associated Press Cable

HONOLULU, Dec. 24.—Kilauea Volcano, on the island of Hawaii, began erupting at 2.55 p.m. (3:25 p.m., Pacific Standard time, Wednesday).

Ten fountains of molten lava spurted from the great fire pit known as Halemaumau. The eruption was preceded by a heavy earthquake which shook Hilo, and sections of Hawaii around Kilauea. Steam placed over the crater of Kilauea were toppled over by the tremor.

Kilauea, situated in Hawaii National Park on the slope of Mkunahoe, is an active volcano and has long been one of the scenic attractions of the Hawaiian Islands.

Halemaumau is an erratic performer, and not infrequently emits flaming fountains which can usually be observed in perfect safety.

The last pronounced eruption of Kilauea took place in December, after fire and lava had been hurled from the crater for 21 days.

Helium Expert At Toronto "U" Resigns Post

Canadian Press

TORONTO, Dec. 24.—University of Toronto governors have accepted with regret, the resignation of Prof. J. C. McLennan, dean of the school of graduate studies, professor of physics and director of the physical laboratory. Prof. McLennan has had 40 years of service.

Prof. McLennan is perhaps most noted for his work with Helium. Being the first man to discover and produce it in quantities for commercial purposes, it was during the war when so scientific advisor to the British admiralty, non-inflammable gas for dirigibles was needed, he was instrumental in producing it from the natural gas in the Bow river valley.

His researches in spectroscopy and other physical studies earned him the medal of the Royal Society, the oldest scientific body in Great Britain.

Flashes Of Blue Lights Signalize Man's Electrocution

Canadian Press

TORONTO, Dec. 24. — Wavering flashes of blue light, sending strange sensations into many parts of the Junction district last night, marked the violent death of Bernard Conway, 27.

A moment before the tell-tale flashes, according to a story told police by the lone eye-witness, Conway had been sitting at the top of the pole carrying the hydro high-power aerial over Union street, expectorating on the cable and watching the sparks fly

Suddenly he slipped and his chin remarked the cable. Terribly burned and thought to have been instantly killed, he hurtled 40 feet, falling headlong into a pile of rocks.

Life In Balance As Postal Clerks Search For Serum

Associated Press

SPOKANE, Dec. 24.—With the life of a young man believed hanging in the balance, post office officials and clerks were searching abandoned regular Christmas mail sorting and sacking frantically for a sample of pneumonia serum.

The package, ordered for Howard Johnson, suffering from pneumonia following a serious stomach operation, was shipped from Seattle and had not been found Wednesday evening.

MONEY MARKET

LONDON, Dec. 24.—Bar gold 120-2d per ounce.

Money 3½ per cent. Discount rates: short bills 5 11-16-6 per cent; three months' bills 5 5/8-6 per cent.

CANADA FACES ANNUAL LOSS OF $4,000,000

But Dominion Officials Realize Seriousness of German Plight

Canadian Press

OTTAWA, Ont., Dec. 24.—Government experts on reparations estimate that Canada's share of Germany's reparations would be approximately $600,000 a year with the transfer of the conditional reparations postponed if there was no postponement. Canada would receive more than $4,000,000 each year.

When the moratorium for one year was declared by the allied countries last summer the direct effect was to lower Canada's revenue this $4,000,000. In fact Canada received in German reparations over $6,000,000 for 1930-31 but this included certain funded payments, not of an annual nature.

FRANCE AFFECTED

Approximately two-thirds of the total reparations Germany was called upon to pay under the Young Plan was conditional, that is, Germany might prove inability to transfer such payments to the creditor countries and thereby postpone them. However, if the unconditional payments about five-sixths of the total goes to France, so that the balance for the other countries is small.

Officials here emphasize that this does not mean that these reparations are wiped off the slate. To protect the other countries France must provide a fund or their security should Germany postpone the conditional payments. This condition was imposed on France because of that country getting the lion's share of the unconditional payments.

There is a keen appreciation in government circles here of the acute situation which has developed in Germany and it is realized that some very drastic action must be taken. It is known that the government has been fully advised of the British attitude in the matter.

INJURIES FATAL

VANCOUVER, B.C., Dec. 24.—Mrs. Elizabeth Purdy, 65, was fatally injured last night in a street traffic accident when she was knocked down by an automobile. She died in hospital several hours later.

Diversified Questions

HORIZONTAL
1 Center of amphitheater.
6 Cogwheels.
11 What state does John M. Garner represent in the U. S. House of Representatives?
12 Nautical.
13 Grain.
15 Indistinct.
17 To dine.
20 Sketched.
22 Asp.
24 Small cubes.
25 Expresses preference by ballot.
29 Equable.
30 Final cause.
31 White poplar.
32 Obnoxious plant.
33 Wan.
34 Spirit of the sea, "——Jones"?
35 Imaginary being.
36 Small isolated patch.
40 Jar.
41 Covered with cloth or thread.
42 Vessels.

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER

VERTICAL
1 To assail.
2 Second note.
3 An exempt.
4 Implicium of a lock.
5 Onager.
6 Antelope.
7 Organ of hearing.
8 To what class of vertebrates do birds belong?
9 Sun god.
10 Metal yet twisted.
13 Inequality.
14 Melody.
16 Dover' home.
18 Tree.
19 To take care of.
21 Crying.
23 On what state is Franklin Roosevelt governor?
25 Good.
26 Fuel.
27 Choice.
28 Chairs.
35 Skin.
36 Seed.
37 Rat.
39 Grass plot.
41 Rental contracts.
42 Tardy.
43 Region.
45 Bad.
46 Folly.
52 Farewell!
53 Scarlet.
54 Frozen water.
55 Perched.
58 Sloth.
60 South America.

OUR OUR WAY - By Williams

EDMONTON BUSINESS FIRMS EXTEND
Yuletide Greetings

A REAL—
Merry Christmas
and a
Prosperous New Year

To all our friends, clients and business associates: We trust that with the ushering in of the NEW YEAR they will have a full measure of Health, Happiness and Prosperity.

The Royal Trust COMPANY
Executors and Trustees
Real Estate Agents
10039 Jasper Ave.
Phone 22118

Our Christmas Wish

Our Christmas Wish is so old that it has been mellowed and ripened by the years . . . yet so new that words have not yet been invented adequately to express it. Our wish is simple and sincere: just—

Merry Christmas—Happy New Year

Norwood Sheet Metal Works
9568 - 111th Avenue Phone 72385

May the Christmas Season Bring a Full Measure of Happiness and Joy to Our Many Friends — And May it last the Whole Year!

Credit Foncier, F.C.
10263 Jasper Ave. Phone 21215
Duncan McLean, Manager

The Manager and Staff Extend to All
Sincere Best Wishes
FOR CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR

NATIONAL TRUST CO., LTD.
R. W. PEARSON, Manager
10072 Jasper Avenue Phone 23477

Christmas Comes

—and so do loads of presents all done up in Christmas wrappings — and so do the cheery greetings of your friends . . . in fact, everything to make your Yuletide holiday most joyous . . . not forgetting, of course, the modest part that is contributed by our sincere wish—

A Merry Christmas

Administration & Trust COMPANY
Real Estate, Rentals
Insurance
10257 Jasper Avenue
Phone 22511

TO ONE AND ALL
With Kindest Thoughts and Good Wishes for a
MERRY YULETIDE
and a
Prosperous NEW YEAR

UNITED TYPEWRITER CO. LTD.
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Phone 21774

Sincere Greetings

A Right Merry Christmas and a bountiful New Year to our Friends and Patrons.

Hoosen Co.
White Avenue. Phone 31406

MERRY CHRISTMAS
TO YOU!
May it be but the forerunner to a prosperous year to come!

NORTHWEST ROOFING COMPANY
(Established 1903)
10743 105th St. Phone 25824
D. McDERMID, Mgr.

To Our Many Guests, Friends and Associates:
May Christmas bring you the happy realization of many new friendships and the renewal of those to whom your acquaintance has been a real pleasure.

New Edmonton Hotel
97th St. and 101A Ave.
Phone 23823
B. MATTHEWS, Mgr.

May All the Joy in the world
Be Yours on This Day

There's just so much joy in the world, we are told, and everyone gets his little share. But on Christmas we are so close to the happiness of our fellowmen that everyone shares in the joy allotted to everyone else. Christmas multiplies joy . . . and we hope that yours will be so plentiful that it will last the whole year through.

A. Andreasen (Furrier)
17 Benson Block. Ph. 28821

Wishing Our Many Friends and Patrons a Real Old-Fashioned Christmas and a Happy New Year

From the Management and Staff of the
Castle and Ritz Hotels

WE TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY OF WISHING OUR MANY FRIENDS AND PATRONS THE HEARTIEST GREETINGS FOR A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR

HEALY MOTORS
The Used Car Specialists
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Phone 22528

WE EXTEND
The Season's Greetings to our friends and patrons, and sincerely hope that the New Year will bring an abundance of joy and happiness.

Davies' Furniture Exchange
9822 Jasper Ave.
Phone 24452

The Northern Hardware Co., Ltd.
(2 STORES)
103 St. and Jasper and 101st St.
Extend their heartiest wishes to all their patrons, friends and business associates for a MERRY XMAS and a Happy and Prosperous NEW YEAR

HEARTIEST WISHES
To One and All.
A Merry Christmas and a Prosperous 1932

J. H. REED & CO.
AUCTIONEERS
9521 Jasper Avenue
Phone 27120

WE TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY
To thank all our patrons for their kind support during the past year and sincerely wish them one and all
A MERRY CHRISTMAS and a HAPPY NEW YEAR

Edmonton Iron Fence and Wire Works
10261 96 St. Phone 26650

The Joy of Christmas
Our joyous Christmas is due to you and we, therefore, wish that yours may be filled with old-fashioned happiness and prosperity.

EDMONTON AUTO RADIATOR WORKS
The Home of the All-Weather Radiator Core
Corner 95th St. and Jasper
(T. GREEN, Prop.)

Compliments of the Season
A MERRY CHRISTMAS and a HAPPY NEW YEAR
is our wish to everybody far and near.

Edmonton Auto Spring Works
H. McCOY, Mgr.
Cor. 95 St. and Jasper Ave.
Phone 26592

A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year
To Our Customers and Friends

REED & TURNBULL
Plumbing and Heating Co. Ltd.

That You May Feast Royaly During the FESTIVE SEASON and the Coming New Year Is the Earnest Wish of

JOHNSON'S CAFE
"Under Burns' Clock"

CHRISTMAS GREETINGS
To our many customers and friends whom it has been a pleasure to serve.
—WE EXTEND—
OUR Very Heartiest Greetings for a—
Bright and Merry Christmas

ARCTIC ICE CO., LTD.
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TO EVERYONE . . .
A MERRY CHRISTMAS and a NEW YEAR Replete with Happiness

H. MILTON MARTIN
Insurance Agent, Broker
221 Tegler Phone 24344

A Merry Christmas and A Happy New Year
Is the Wish Extended To You by the

HOME FURNITURE EXCHANGE
10246 97 St. Phone 21781

ONCE A YEAR—
It's our pleasure to wish all our guests and business associates . . .
A Merry Christmas
and to extend our greetings with heartfelt appreciation of your friendship during the past year.

The **ROYAL GEORGE HOTEL**
10229 101st Street. Ph. 26191
O. NOBLE, Mgr.

SEASON'S GREETINGS
That your Christmas be a most joyous one is the Sincere Greeting to our host of friends and patrons.

DRS. McINTYRE & LLOYD
Dentists 308 Birks Bldg.

MERRY CHRISTMAS
When Christmas Bells are ringing, our wishes go out to you for a Merry, Merry Christmas and a Bright and Happy New Year.

MAGEE & MacRAE LIMITED
Bonds, Loans, Investments
Real Estate, Rentals
Insurance
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That You and Yours May Enjoy a
Very Merry Christmas
—and—
A Happy and Prosperous New Year
is the Wish of

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Real Estate—Insurance
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Save a Bit of Room In Your Memory For this Little Wish From Me—
May You Have a Christmas Full of Joy and the Most Successful New Year.

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WISHING OUR MANY PATRONS
A MERRY CHRISTMAS and a Successful and Happy New Year

S. L. Dobbin Plumbing & Heating Ltd.
11219 Jasper Ave.

May Yuletide Joy Be Unconfined!
When the fire glows on the hearth and the happy family gathers to observe the Festive Yuletide, may your cup of joy bubble over. That's our wish at this jolly season of the year, and with it we add the hope that your joy will be as abundant throughout the New Year.

EDMONTON HARDWARE SUPPLY CO.
10142 99th Street

Among our assets we like to count the only one that money cannot buy,
Your Good Will
And so at this Holiday Season we extend to you—not as a customer alone, but as a friend, the best of wishes for the Coming Year.

EDMONTON TOWEL SUPPLY, LTD.
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Edmonton, Alberta

We Extend To All At This Time
Hearty Wishes for a Merry Christmas and a Full Measure of Happiness and Prosperity in the New Year

Garneau Service Station
8605-109 Street

HOLLAND'S BEAUTY PARLOR
Cordially Extends Sincere Wishes for
A MERRY CHRISTMAS and HAPPY NEW YEAR
203 Chisholm Block
Phone 21834

WE WISH YOU A **Merry Christmas**
And a long run of prosperity throughout the New Year

UNCLE BEN'S EXCHANGE
10204 - 101 Street
(Established since 1912)

The Season's Greetings
And All Good Wishes for Christmas and the New Year

THE PHILLIPS TYPEWRITER CO. LIMITED
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Here's wishing all our many friends and patrons
A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS and a HAPPY NEW YEAR

LOUIS' WAFFLE SHOP
9949 Jasper Avenue

GREETINGS —of the— SEASON
CHRISTMAS gives us the opportunity we have wanted—to extend to all our clients, friends and business associates our best wishes for a
Merry Christmas AND HAPPY and PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR

Kenwood & Kenwood
Real Estate — Rentals
Insurance
10119 100A St. Phone 21583

THE EMPIRE HOTEL
WISH TO THANK THEIR MANY PATRONS FOR THE PLEASANT ASSOCIATIONS OF THE PAST YEAR AND WISH EVERYONE
A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year
GUS HUDYMA ROY STOYKO
10246-96th Street. Phone 25075

WE WISH
to thank all our customers for their patronage during the past year and extend our heartiest wishes for—
A Merry Christmas — and a — Prosperous New Year

IRVING KLINE
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Phone 25204

CHRISTMAS BELLS ARE RINGING
But in case you do not hear in them our wish for your happiness, we repeat it here:
A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year

AUTO WRECKAGE LIMITED
"The Old Reliable"
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CHRISTMAS GREETINGS
We Wish All Our Friends and Patrons
A MERRY CHRISTMAS and a HAPPY NEW YEAR
Hamilton & Son
Hay & Feed
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Jules Glauser
"The Popular Watchmaker"
9527 118 Ave. Phone 71551
Expresses his wish that all his friends and patrons will have a Merry Christmas and a Prosperous New Year.

The Season's Greetings To All
MARVEL BEAUTY ACADEMIES
10114 Jasper Avenue
Edmonton, Alberta
Branches from Coast to Coast

Accept our heartiest Wishes—
A MERRY CHRISTMAS and A HAPPY NEW YEAR

RUDER TORP
Jeweler
10104 Jasper Avenue

Best Wishes for a Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year
THE COMMERCIAL BEAUTY PARLOR
10321 White Avenue

Wishing Our Many Patrons and Friends a Good Old-Fashioned Christmas
REMINGTON TYPEWRITERS LIMITED
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Christmas Greetings and Best Wishes for the New Year
TORIC OPTICAL PARLORS
414 Tegler Bldg.
Ph. 26353

HER HEART WON, THEN LOST IN GOSSIP MAZE

THREE KINDS OF LOVE HAS BITTER GOAL

(Continued from Page Eleven)

come a year ago to apply for the position of general housewerker in the Fenwick Mansion, she had said, "My name is Josephine Loubden. When I work I work. When I sleep I sleep. I do more work with one hand than most women do with two hands. But I want pay."

When she quitted the Fenwick Mansion, five months after the day Oladye had brought the children to live with their grandparents, she made much the same speech. "When I work I work," she said. "When I sleep I sleep. I am not a dog. For five months I have worked like a dog. Now I will go and sleep for five months and I will not be rested. And I want my pay."

Rosalie had explained again, sweetly and patiently, that Josephine should have her pay—tomorrow, perhaps, certainly next week, and she had added, with a touch of sorrow and regret, that, considering the deep regard she had felt through the years for Josephine, and the things she had done for Josephine, it seemed past understanding that Josephine should now leave her in the lurch.

Josephine Loubden had replied, "Always you have been behind with my pay. You were behind with my good friend Mrs. Joe Oil's pay when I came here. You are now three months and one week behind. Before I would stay longer in this house I would go up on the hill and sit under the tall trees." She had left by the back door, minding the back steps, because the back steps were in need of repair.

A procession of housewerkers followed, after that: women who came through the front door and left through the back door rapidly and to march time. One with a deformed shoulder, whose name was Christina Eugenia Passafume, stayed for more than a year before she went away through the front door and on a stretcher to the ambulance that took her to the charity hospital. Three months later, Christina Eugenia Passafume's lawyer (if you please!) threatened suit against Jonathan Fenwick for $180, six months' unpaid salary due to his client. Grand sold one of the few remaining lots, on which he had kept the taxes paid, and the affair was settled promptly and quietly and out of court.

Ann knew nothing of this, but the talk about Rosalie, precipitated at least by Miss Plume's insolence, marked a turning point in Ann's life. She was 24 years old, by this time, and in her freshman year at Reed College, where John Fenwick had taught and was well remembered.

"Darling," Rosalie began, "I've been thinking about poor, merry little Cecily daily concerning with—it was Rosalie's turn to shudder, and Ann noticed—"that sort of person." So it seemed to Rosalie that with three girls in the house (Rosalie, Ann, and Cecily) all lovingly eager to help one another, they should be able to manage easily and happily, with a fourth woman coming in once or twice a week.

So charwomen came, though more often they did not come, and three months went along, contrary, and it was Ann who sought Rosalie for the second talk. She began it forthrightly. "Rosalie, I didn't Father leave any money at all?"

"Darling!"—done in two long syllables, with bulging mouth—"A college professor, and three babies in 14 years!" It was as if Rosalie had said, "14 tobacco in three years."

"Yes, I know," Ann said. "But I thought, perhaps, there might have been life insurance—or something."

Rosalie leaned back in her chair and held out her white hands—little dimples, and little knuckles, but big amethysts and one gold flower filigree with a seed pearl—"Come to Rosalie, darling—nestle here. I want to have a talk with you, a heart-to-heart talk with my little girl."

It developed that there had been a small life insurance, but that John ("He wasn't practical. Aren't you glad and happy, Ann dear, that your father was not a 'wholly practical man?'") had, months before he had passed on, borrowed heavily against it to meet—well, very urgent obligations. (Parents should be considered very urgent obligations, one supposes.) No—beautiful memories, high ideals and—um things of that sort were all that John had been able to leave behind him. All—and yet everything.

"And us girls, of course," Ann suggested.

"To carry out his visions, to fulfill his hopes and ideals, to—um—" She paused. Ann had sighed heavily. Rosalie began again: "Was there something, dear—some girlish sentiment, some little pleasure that you had set your heart on? Tell me. Tell me all about it, and perhaps, if it is wise, Grand and I can manage it for you."

"No," Ann said. "Nothing. I had thought—hoped—No. I guess I'll have to quit school for this term, anyway."

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AND that, it leaked out, was precisely what Grand and Rosalie had been desiring but disliking to mention. They had noticed (they watched their three more closely than the darling knew) that Ann was growing too slender, that rosebuds were leaving her cheeks, and that circles were shading beneath her brown eyes, and they had feared for her health, cooped up in those old dark buildings, studying and getting stoop-shouldered.

"They aren't old buildings, just dark. They are beautiful," Ann amazingly for Ann, had disagreed. "But—I was talking to the Dean of Women today. She is wonderful. Yes, I'll have to quit for this term, I suppose."

Grand and Rosalie were delighted. There was plenty of time. Ann was so young. It would have been terrible if she had been forced to wear glasses in front of those great lustrous eyes. A good long rest at home was what she needed; rest and very little reading and plenty of fresh air.

Ann inhaled some fresh air, at least during the next two months, when she stood often in the front doorway, blushing and gasping, confronting bill collectors, who said 10-year-old Cecily talked it all over one Wednesday evening after school, and together they decided that, since Grand and Rosalie seemed unaware of the financial situation in the Fenwick Mansion, they—Cecily and Ann—must take matters in their own hands and do something about those bills and such things without further delay.

On Thursday afternoon Ann went to see Dr. Rim and asked him to lend her $50, which was the tuition fee charged by the business college she had selected. He wrote the check, and a prescription for a tonic, and could not remember what it was all about when, four months later, Ann called at his office to pay him five dollars.

"I have a position," she explained. "But I get only $10 a week, and I have something to pay with this other five. I'll bring five again next week."

Dr. Rim detained her. He asked questions. Ann answered them all. The Eastern Plumbing and Heating Company, she liked it pretty well. She was feeling pretty well. Yes, she had gone to business school, but she had stopped for a number of reasons. Her sister, Cecily, was going to college. No, Cecily now was in the sixth grade at grammar school.

Rosalie and Grand accepted Ann's entrance into what Grand called the world of commerce with girls-will-be-girls expressions. It was so odd of the darling. However, both Rosalie and Grand believed in autonomy for children. Too, as Rosalie explained to their best friends the Carmichaels, who lived on the corner across the street, she and Grand felt even more reluctance in opposing the whims of their grandchildren than they might have felt in opposing the whims of children of their own. When Cecily, who was 10 years old, and Ann, who was 24, and who had ever so much of it, and it was "touched up" merely, and said nothing. So Ann was forced to say, "What do you mean?"

Rosalie meant that this servant problem was torturing her by day and tormenting her by night; the ingratitude, the inefficiency, the necessity of having daily conferences with—it was Rosalie's turn to shudder, and Ann noticed—"that sort of person." So it was that Rosalie, at last, was driven to the point of general housewerker in the Fenwick Mansion, she had said, "My name is Josephine Loubden. When I work I work. When I sleep I sleep. I do more work with one hand than most women do with two hands. But I want pay."

Biddie birds" (in a lower register). "Do you know what they have been singing to me? Independence, over and over. Independence, and chummingness." (Ann shuddered slightly but Rosalie did not notice), "and sharing one another's burdens and—um—all that sort of thing, you know."

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ANN said, "Oh?" Rosalie sat and smiled with her tiny Cupid's bow mouth, embedded away up above the first of her three chins, and nodded her head with its crown of yellow hair (Grand always called it a crown, in her senior year at high school, determined to quit high school and go at once to the business college to which Ann had gone, they again offered no objections.

Ann remembered Cecily said to the peachy English instructor who insisted that surely she could wait until after her graduation, and did hope to finish here and go on to college. It doesn't seem certain that Grand and Rosalie and Ann and I are going to manage so that our little sister Mary-Frances, can have a college education."

Grand told Mr. Carmichael that same afternoon, "Modern girls—upon my soul I can seem interested. Not that I am criticising my grandaughters. Better girls never lived to bless a man's declining years. Better at heart, that is." And when Mr. Carmichael had suggested that the girls with their salaries might be able to help out a trifle at home, Grand had waved aside that suggestion and declared:

"Not a penny, my friends. Not one penny. Their little chicken feed is theirs, to spend as they like. Their own, for little girlish luxuries and extravagance. I hope they are extravagant with their poor little moneys. It will make me feel easier about permitting them to enter the world of commerce, rub shoulders, as it were, with the herd. At the time of my son's passing I gladly undertook the care, the support, the education of his little brood. I shall always so care for them. I shall always support them." And Grand believed it, as he said it; he sincerely believed it.

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BY the time that Ann was earning $25 a week and Cecily $16 a week, Grand had retired from the real estate business. Had, as he told Rosalie and the girls, decided to leave the game to the youngsters, the lads —unlicked cubs—fresh from college, who were willing to step on the other fellow's fingers to gain footholds of their own. He could compete with them; yes. He would not stoop to do so; no. He would now and at last, with a sigh of relief, be the old wheeler he knew his real talents lay—the field of inventions.

"I'll make you $10,000," said Grand to Ann, though neither of them that day had 10,000 cents in the world. "At the end of one year I shall have more to show for my efforts than I would have after 10 years of this miserable land hawking."

This seemed possible. It had been more than a year now since Grand had made even a small deal in real estate. The reason, not visible either to Ann or to Grand, was that for the past several years Grand had been disposing of the remnants of his own loud holdings at prices so slow that he could find buyers for them with no difficulty. Other landowners were unwilling to make these sacrifices; or, if prodded by necessity, they made them for themselves without Grand's aid.

Grand owned nothing now except the family home and the land upon which it stood. Thus, he stated, he would sell at the same time that he sold his wife and his granddaughters. He made speeches about it. His son and his son's children had been born there. (They hadn't, at all; but Grand's memory at 74 was failing). It had stood through the years, in stress and storm, an ever ready haven for him and his—that sort of thing. Rosalie, getting wind of the fact, somehow or other, that there were such things as mortgages, had once suggested during a trying period that they borrow a mortgage—or whatever one did with a mortgage—on the home place. Grand, sensing perhaps the inalienable right of mortgages to proliferate, produced quantities of melodrama, and Rosalie wept, some, through her promise never to mention such a thing again.

There was no pressing need at the time for a mortgage. Part of the $41 a week had to be put aside for what Cecily called the "Very-Fancy Educational Fund" (Mother, sometimes for a joke, had called the baby "Very-Fancy"). Grand and Rosalie had not approved), but the taxes were lower, since the new appraisal, and a slick salesman down the street put on half soles and even small patches so that they scarcely showed. Grand rarely borrowed more than a dollar or two at a time. It always had to be change, small change, that he needed.

He began his new venture in a manner that was at any rate the cost of fitting up his workshop in one of the spare bedrooms was just under some of Ann had planned to spend on her winter coat. (Cecily had bought her coat winter before last, so it was Ann's turn.) But the old coat was made to serve, and so Ann told Philip Kerrod (Phil was graduated from law school that same summer), it saved on car fare and lunch money, and Grand was happier listening around at home.

Grand was not puttering. Grand was hard at work on his model for airplane wings that should fold and unfold as a bird's wings fold and unfold. "There is a fortune in it," he said, implying, however, that he had a few opinions of persons who cared for fortunes. "Ah, yes—an unlimited fortune."

FOR some pesky reason the plagues taken pulleys that were to manipulate the wings would not work, always, with the required degree of exactitude. It did not matter greatly, because their personality was Grand's opportunity to get to work in earnest on his collapsible fire escape, and this carried with it, as it were, naturally to something new in elevators—a space-saving device which no one, perhaps, not even Grand, entirely understood.

Sectional doors came next. The principle was borrowed, but the point was that two or three inches of a door could be opened, while the remainder of the door stood firmly closed. Failure of the doors was tragedy, for with them Grand wearied of things folding and collapsible, and in the spring of the year 1929 turned his attention to radio developments. The electric bills mounted high, and the trifles that Grand needed for his experiments were ruinously priced. It was in May, 1929—odd of Ann to remember the date—that Phil told her for the first time, flatly and with no softening diminutive, that she was a fool.

"You," he stormed, "pretend to despise your grandparents' sentimentality. You are as sentimental as they are, every bit—both you and Cecily are."

Ann said, "Why, Phil Kerrod, we have a good time together." Ann said, but more weakly, "Cissy and I do have to remember that they have given us a home all these years."

Philip, a handsome, dignified young lawyer by now—strangling might be added, except that it seems redundant—merely shrugged his shoulders and said, "Oh, yeah!" as it was being said in 1929.

Ann argued, "But what can we do when he asks for things?"

"Do?" Simply tell the old gentleman that you cannot afford these things. Refuse to buy any more of them. Get him a stick to whittle. Put your foot down. Wouldn't that be more sensible?"

Ann said, "Yes, dear," as it has been said by placatory women since the year one. Though, of course, she did not put her foot down.

It was in July, 1929—odd of Cecily to remember the date, but it was she who went on the first excursion that the two elder Fenwick girls discovered pawnshops and began to eat, according to Cecily, Mother's and Father's wedding presents.

They ate the little hand-carved chest that the professor of Romance languages had bought in Genoa; they ate the clear ringing brass bowl that Mother's girl friend had sent from Ceylon. They ate Grandma Tamasale's silver tea service (yes, one of the Tamasales, but she and Grandpa had both died long before Ann was born), and quantities of flat silver, cut glass and hand-painted china proved inedible. For "Thanksgiving Day had Father's hand-made trout rod, and his set of ivory chessmen went for Christmas.

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THREE days after Christmas Grand took to his bed with what had a attack of quinsy and arose from bearly in February pessimistic as to the future for radio and deeply interested in the improvement of kettles used to generate steam in sick-rooms.

The wedding presents were pawned with no hope of redemption. But modest things for everyday use were inexpensive, and the Very-Fancy Educational Fund, several thousand, had not been touched. The relief was so great that this time, when Cecily said to Ann—or perhaps to Ann who said it to Cecily this time—"Grand and Rosalie don't know—they still think they are supporting the family," smiles could be exchanged about it.

The remark was made in the upstairs hall, directly after a conversation with Grand in which he had said that it had occurred to him that his illness, the holidays, one thing and another, might have been rather a drain on the girls' pocket money. Rosalie had suggested something the sort. He intended, of course, to repay them. His granddaughters—"Bless bees and keep them!—should not be out of pocket on his account. No, if they would keep an itemized record of their expenditures, he would attend to it, and shortly. Ann said, No, he should not. Payment should be arranged, payment in full, and very soon.

As the girls' heels clicked down the uncarpeted front stairs (the carpet had been sold for twenty-five cents (three years ago) Ann said, "They must know. But they don't realize it, or face it, or something. Phil thinks we should make them understand."

"What earthly use?" asked Cecily. "It wouldn't change anything. It might worry them, but it wouldn't help us."

"Phil says—"

Cecily interrupted. Philip as an oracle had a maddening habit of being right. "Ann, angel," she said, "don't fall into the habit of quoting Phil all the time. Haven't you noticed that the wives who everlastingly quote their husbands are never never quoted themselves by same husbands."

"I'm not a wife," Ann said in a chilly way she had developed recently.

Cecily giggled. Ann did not. "It seems explained Cecily, "to, so sort of—well immoral, said like that. Phil's not a husband would sound much better."

"Wait until you are in love," said Ann, "and engaged, and you will think it is so funny—not being able to be married."

It was impossible for Cecily to understand why Ann should wish to marry Phil with his conspicuous good looks, his inevitable rightness, his sterling qualities, his mustache, his overshoes, and his flattering self-conceit. It was almost impossible for Cecily to like Phil as she felt he deserved to be liked; so she protested and delayed she had never thought that, nor anything connected, with it, funny at all.

Ann said, "Yes, but you have never been in love," and made it an accusation.

"I've tried, but it's like Grand's inventions—it won't work."

"Last spring I was afraid," said Ann, and did not notice that she had said "afraid," "that you were falling in love with Rodger French."

"I might have, if he hadn't said I was 'pleasant looking' and if he could have found anything admirable about me besides my ears."

"Your ears?"

"Don't you remember how he was always talking about my ears? How they were little and flat and showed pink through the edges in the sun like a child's? I loved it the first time, and kept running about with my hand mirror looking for a sunny spot in the house. But after a dozen times or so it got sour, and we "parted forever," as Rosalie says, when I blew up and told him I liked my flatteries fresh like my vegetables."

"You weren't in love with the one before him, either, were you? What was his name—"

"Mr. Toomire, he used to say over the telephone, 'Miss Fenwick? This is Mr. Toomire speaking.' Don't you remember he worked in that leather place, and he talked Rosalie and Grand into giving me that silly overnight bag for Christmas, when we were so poor that year, and I needed a new umbrella. I never forgave him."

"I didn't mean him, silly! I meant always bringing you photographs of the older, long ago Cecily one who was his family."

"Except Herrick Moriarty, B.S.C.E., on his visiting cards, and he left a pack every time he came. He was kind of nice and Irishy, even if he was a freak. But, goodness, Ann, you've got me reminiscing like Rosalie. Why the questionnaire?"

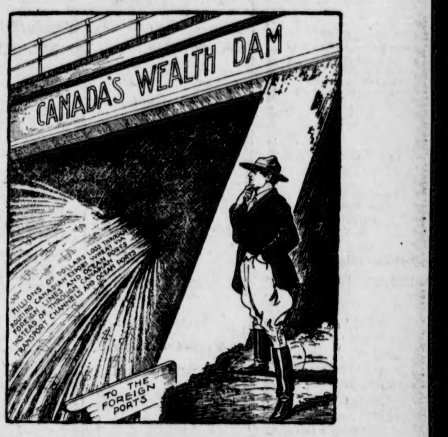
"I don't know," said Ann. "I was just sort of thinking that you—well, didn't understand about love."

"I don't," said Cecily, "and I don't want to ever." (February, 1930, was the date.) "When I see people who are in love—" she cannot herself up and tucked in politely—"Martha and Herbert, for example—You and Phil are different, of course."

"Yes," said Ann, and sighed. "Yes, I suppose. Phil and I are—different, of course."

(To Be Continued)

Ann, Mary-Frances and Cecily Fenwick



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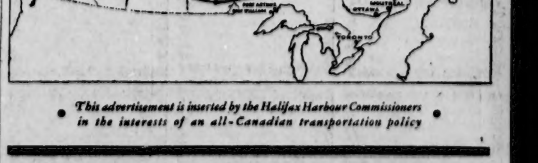

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Little Stories for Bedtime

By THORNTON BURGESS (Copyright)

ROBBER THE RAT TALKS ABOUT HIMSELF

Danny Meadow Mouse didn't know what to think. He certainly didn't. Never before in all his life had he ever heard any one admit that they were bad and were proud of it. So not knowing what to say, Danny simply said nothing at all. Robber the Rat grinned. It was an ugly sort of grin. It made Danny feel uncomfortable.

"Yes," continued Robber, "I'm what you folks call bold and bad and I don't want to be any different, because I don't believe it pays to be anything else. I believe the world owes me a living and that I have a right to anything I want and can get, and it makes no difference how I get it. If any one weaker than I has something I want I just take it. If any one bigger and stronger than I has something I want I just use my wits and steal it. That is what wits are for. I'm always ready to fight for what I've got or what I want. I'm no coward. I'm the only animal smart enough to live off these men creatures in spite of all they can do."

"How about my cousin, Nibbler the House Mouse," asked Danny timidly.

"Huh! He don't count!" retorted Robber. "To be sure, he lives in men's houses and barns but he isn't hunted the way I am. He's glad of anything to eat and is afraid of his own shadow. Some of you people who live out on the Green Meadows and in the Green Forest think you know what it is to be hunted by man. I don't count you because you are too small for him to bother with, but others. Isn't that so?"

Danny thought of Mrs. Grouse and Lightfoot the Deer and Bob White and Mrs. Quack, and how all of them feared the hunters with terrible guns more than all other things together. "Yes," said he, "I guess that is true. I don't know how any one could be hunted any more than some of them are."

Robber sniffed. "They don't know what being hunted is," he declared. "They are hunted only a certain time in the year. To know what it is to be hunted you must be hunted all the time and never know a single day when you can be sure of not being hunted, never go anywhere without first making sure that there is no hidden trap there. That is the way it is with me." Robber said this somewhat proudly. "Yes, sir; I am hunted all the time by these man creatures, and yet I make them feed me and feed me mighty well. I live right where they do, in the very houses they build, and if they have anything I want I take it. I gnaw holes in their floors and in their walls and into the secret places where they store things good to eat. They hunt me and hunt me, and hunt me, and I hate them because they hunt me, but I despise them because I am smarter than they.

"I am a robber. I belong to a family of robbers. My father and my grandfather were robbers. I believe he might make mistakes, and that sits rather than strength makes might. So when I see anything I want I take it either boldly or by cunning."

Danny shook his head. "It isn't right," said he. "It isn't right to take what doesn't belong to you."

"Anything belongs to me if I can get it," retorted Robber.

"Oh, no, it doesn't. No, indeed!" exclaimed Danny, looking quite as shocked as he felt.

"That's because you care what other people think. I don't," retorted Robber.

"Don't you want friends?" asked Danny.

"Friends! What good are friends?" sneered Robber. "I haven't any friends. I don't want any friends. Friends are a bother. They are forever getting into trouble and wanting you to help them out. I say let every one look out for himself. I look out for myself, and there isn't anybody lives any better than I do or sees more of the Great World than I do. I'm Robber the Rat, and I live up to my name. Everybody hates me and I laugh at their hate. Listen! I hear some one coming, and it won't do for me to be seen here!"

Robber grinned at Danny and scurried down through a hole to his home under the floor just as Farmer Brown's Boy appeared. Danny scampered back home to tell Nanny the dreadful things Robber had said, and all the way he tried to imagine what it could be like to feel the way Robber felt.

"Anything belongs to me if I can get it," retorted Robber.

Next Story—Merry Christmas in Quaddy-Land and more about Robber the Rat, Saturday.

Milady Beautiful

By LOIS LEEDS

READERS' BEAUTY QUESTIONS ANSWERED

A Drooping Nose

Dear Miss Leeds—My nose is long and what is known as a drooping nose, and it makes me feel very self-conscious and unhappy. Do you think a nose-adjuster or a nose-shaper would help? I would like my nose shorter. UNHAPPY ME.

Answer—Only an operation can make a long nose short. If you are a young girl you may be able to make your nose droop less by massaging it upwards a little every night.

LOIS LEEDS.

WANTS TO REDUCE HER FACE

Dear Miss Leeds—I am 17 years old and weigh 140 pounds. I am 5 feet 6 inches tall. How can I reduce a fat face? MISS LILY C.

Answer—You are about ten pounds overweight. Under the circumstances it is better for you to be a few pounds overweight than one pound underweight, because you are a young, growing girl and your figure will adjust itself as you grow older. A plump face is a sign of youth, and you would not look well with a thin face and a beautiful, tall, well-proportioned figure. Take an active interest in outdoor sports and forget your face.

LOIS LEEDS.

MUDDY SKIN WITH ENLARGED PORES AND BLACKHEADS

Dear Miss Leeds—What treatment is good for a muddy-looking skin with enlarged pores and blackheads? My face is full of tiny blackheads which I squeeze out occasionally, but it leaves the pores larger. My skin looks coarse and shiny and is never fresh clean even after I wash it with soap and water.

MRS. S. C. M.

Answer—At bedtime, after washing your face with soap and water, steam it with hot towels. Repeat the hot application three or four times, then bathe the skin for several minutes with warm boric acid solution and press out the blackheads with a comedo extractor. Apply another hot towel or two and blot the skin dry. Now massage the face for several minutes with a good tissue cream or an oily massage cream. Use a light patting movement with the fingertips. Remove the excess cream and squeeze out a pad of absorbent cotton in witch-hazel and pat the face briskly for a few seconds. Dry the skin and apply the following lotion and allow it to dry on the skin: One teaspoonful precipitated sulphur, four ounces rose water, two ounces calcium water. Shake well before using each time. Apply with a clean pad of absorbent cotton. In the morning wash the face with soap and water. Rinse well and dry with a Turkish towel, using a little friction. Apply a mild astringent and finish the make-up. Once a week give your face a thorough facial treatment, using a bleaching and refining facial pack. Watch for my talk on this particular type of facial pack for coarse skin with enlarged pores and blackheads.

LOIS LEEDS.

Pat your face with astringent pad

Who Are You?

The historian tells us that the great baronial race of this name descended from a feudal chief named Bardolph, who was Lord of Ravenswerth, County York, England, at the time of the Norman conquest. The surname was not fixed until the time of Edward III., when Henry Fitzhugh was summoned to parliament as Baron Fitzhugh.

Fitzhugh

The prefix "fitz" is simply the normal-French designation of "son of," just as "Ap" is the Welsh form used to distinguish father from son, and "mac" the Scottish form.

Sonnysayings

By FANNY Y. CORY

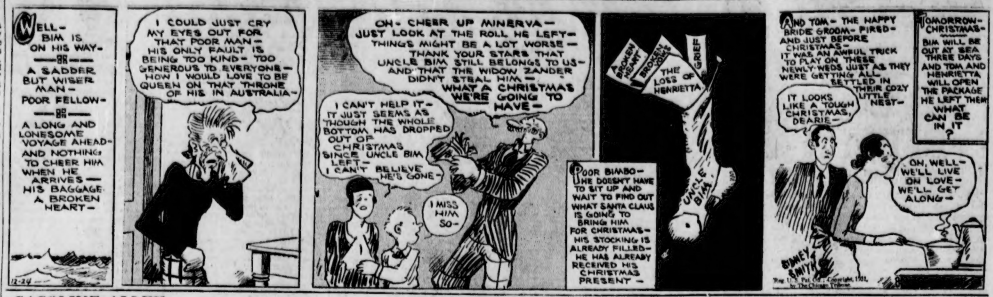
Nope, it aren't Santa Claus! Tho sorry, Baby. It's dest Daddy an' Muvver fixin' round our clock'n'. Whoo-hoo! Daddy an' Muvver!

CONCERT ARTIST DIES

LONDON, Dec. 8.—Léon Rowell, one of the best known impresarios in Europe, died here Wednesday after a brief illness. Powell staged thousands of concerts and travelled twice around the world with famous artists. He visited North America 40 times and brought dozens of great international stars to London, including Paderewski, Chaliapin, Kreisler, Caruso, Melba and Tetrazini. During his 53 years of management he met most of the crowned heads of Europe.

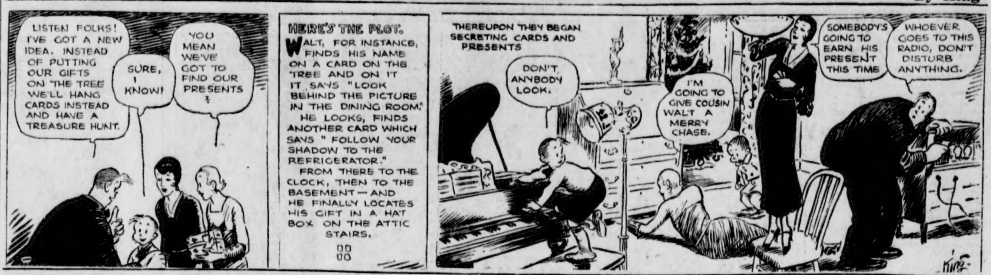
THE GUMPS

Merry Christmas From Bim — By Smith



GASOLINE ALLEY

Try This On Your Christmas Tree — By King



MOON MULLINS

Meet Mr. Moots! — By Willard

THE NEBBS

Tipping Her Off — By Sol Hess

JANE ARDEN

Jane Has No Price — By Monte Barrett and Frank Ellis

Character Close-Up

LITTLE ORPHAN ANNIE

What Will The Morrow Bring? — By Gray

GRAIN - MARKETS - FINANCE

Poultry Show To Be Held Here On January 18 To 21

The Alberta Provincial Poultry Show will this year be held in Edmonton (alternating annually between this city and Calgary). The show will be staged in the market building on January 18 to 21, with Sandy Robertson officiating in the capacity of show superintendent. A number of interesting features have been arranged for the show. R. H. Bainsmore, of the Federal Poultry branch, is arranging for daily egg-grading demonstrations, and will also stage a judging class in dressed poultry. Dr. J. E. Wilkinson is arranging for a judging class in poultry, and the Alberta Bronze Turkey Breeders' Association will make arrangements for a class in judge turkeys. The Alberta Poultry Pool are putting on two killing and plucking demonstrations.

Judging will start earlier than usual for the 1932 show, being set for 10 a.m. on Monday, January 18.

An auction sale of dressed poultry will be held on Thursday, January 21 at 4:30.

The provincial association will hold their meeting in Edmonton at the Civic block, on Wednesday afternoon, and a poultry show dinner will be held at 6:30 p.m. that day, at the Royal George hotel.

The prize lists for the provincial poultry show have been mailed, and are very comprehensive. Judges for the show are now being arranged by the provincial and federal departments of agriculture.

Dominion Bonds

By James Richardson & Sons

WINNIPEG, Dec. 24—Following quotations are current on bonds:—

NATIONAL SERVICE—	Bid	Asked
1930	.....	99.38
1931	.....	99.00
WAR LOAN—		
X*1937, 5 per cent.	104.00	105.50
VICTORY—		
*1933, 5½ per cent.	99.00	100.50
*1934, 5½ per cent.	98.00	99.00
*1937, 5½ per cent.	103.00	104.75
WAR—		
1935, 5½ per cent.	99.75	98.50
RENEWAL FUNDING—		
1932, 5 per cent.	97.85	98.50
1934, 4½ per cent.	92.40	91.40
1936, 4½ per cent.	92.15	93.25
1946, 4½ per cent.	90.40	91.50
CONVERSION LOAN—		
1930	97.40	98.75
1937	87.40	88.75
1938	86.15	87.50
1950	85.15	86.75

*Exempt from Federal Income Tax.
x*Payable in N. Y. as well as Canada.

Range in Grain Prices

WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKETS
By James Richardson & Sons, Ltd.
December 24, 1931

	Open	High	Low	Close	Prev.	Crop High	Crop Low
WHEAT—							
December	58½	59	58½	58½	58¼	72¾	51½
May	61⅞	62⅛	61⅝	62	61⅛	76⅛	55⅛
July	61⅞	62⅛	61⅝	62	61⅛	77⅛	61⅛
OATS—							
December	28½	28⅞	28½	28⅞	28	36½	25⅝
May	31⅞	31⅞	31⅞	31⅞	31⅛	36	28
July	31⅝	32⅛	31⅝	32⅛	31	36⅝	..
BARLEY—							
December	..	..	..	..	38	37⅛	45⅛	29⅝
May	39⅝	39⅞	39⅛	39⅞	39⅝	47⅝	35⅛
July	..	..	..	..	39⅛	39⅛	45⅛	..
FLAX—							
December	97⅛	97⅛	97⅛	97⅛	97⅛	137	92⅝
May	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛	141	97⅛
July	102⅝	102⅝	102⅛	102⅛	102	113	..
RYE—							
December	..	42⅝	..	..	42⅝	42⅛	56	38⅝
May	45⅛	45⅛	45⅛	45⅛	45⅛	59⅛	33⅝
July	..	..	..	46⅛	45⅛	59⅝	..

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKETS
By James Richardson & Sons, Ltd.
December, 1931

	Open	High	Low	Close	Prev.	Crop High	Crop Low
WHEAT—							
July	54⅛	55⅛	54⅛	55⅛	54⅞	73	49
December	52⅝	53⅛	52⅝	53⅛	52⅝	68⅝	44⅝
March	53⅝	54⅛	53⅝	54⅛	53⅝	71⅛	47⅛
May	55⅛	56⅛	55⅛	55⅞	55⅛	73	48⅝
CORN—							
July	41⅝	41⅝	41⅛	41⅝	41⅝	55	38⅛
December	35	35⅛	35	35⅛	35⅛	56⅛	32⅝
March	..	..	..	38⅝	38⅛	51⅛	34⅝
May	39⅝	40⅝	39⅝	40⅝	40⅛	53⅛	36⅝
OATS—							
July	25	26	24⅞	25	24⅞	31	22⅝
December	23⅝	23⅝	23⅛	23⅝	23⅛	34⅞	20⅛
May	25⅛	25⅝	25⅛	25⅛	25⅛	31	23
RYE—							
July	..	..	..	44⅞	44⅝	63⅛	..
December	..	40	39⅝	40	40	57⅛	35
March	43⅝	43⅝	43⅛	43⅛	43⅛	62	38
May	44⅝	45	44⅝	45	44⅝	63⅛	38⅝

Today's Most Active Stocks

AT NEW YORK
By James Richardson & Sons
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STOCK—	Open	Low	Close	Prev.	Year High	Year Low
American Can	61⅛	62⅛	61⅛	62⅛	61⅛	129⅞	58⅛
American Tel. & Tel.	114⅞	115⅛	114⅞	114⅞	115	201⅞	113⅛
Dupont Powder	55	55	54	54⅞	54⅛	107	50⅛
N. Y. Central	38⅛	38⅛	38⅛	38⅛	38⅛	133⅛	24⅛
General Electric	24⅞	25	24⅞	24⅞	24⅞	34⅞	22⅞
Penn. Railroad	18⅛	19⅛	18⅛	18⅛	18⅛	64	16⅛
Standard Oil N. J.	26⅛	26⅛	26⅛	26⅛	26⅛	52⅞	26
U. S. Steel	37⅛	38⅛	37⅛	38⅛	37⅛	152⅞	36
Westinghouse Elec.	26	26	25⅞	26⅛	26⅛	107⅞	24⅛

MARKET KEEPS EVEN KEEL AS TRADING QUIET

Associated Press

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Securities markets drifted on a fairly even keel today, while holiday preparations diverted much of Wall Street's attention from price levels.

The report of the Young Plan advisory committee was generally regarded with satisfaction in banking quarters, but it was regarded as a step of too preliminary a nature to have notable effect on security markets.

Fluctuations in share prices were confined to extraordinarily narrow limits. The market was fairly firm for a time in the morning, but developed an easier tone after midday. Early gains of a point or so in such issues as U. S. Steel, American Telephone, American Can, American Tobacco B, New York Central and others were largely lost, and a few issues registered small fractional losses. Westinghouse Electric was under some pressure, and sold off about a point.

The Bank of England's weekly statement attracted attention in that it showed a substantial drop in the ratio of reserves to liabilities. Reserves declined to 20.9 per cent, a new low for recent years, from 26.6 per cent a week previously. Reserves, however, have been much better maintained than they were during the post war deflation. The ratio dropped close to eight per cent in 1921.

By James Richardson & Sons

Stocks:	High	Low	Last
Air Reduction	81	81	81
Allied Chem.	67½	66½	66½
Allis Chalmers	11	10½	10½
Am. Can	62½	61½	62½
Am. Pur. Power	9⅞	9½	9½
Am. Loco	24	23	23
Am. Radiator	16⅞	16½	16½
Am. Smelting	19½	18	18
Am. Sugar Ref.	35	34	34
A. T. & T. Tel	115½	114½	115½
Am. Tobacco	68½	67½	67½
Am. Waterworks	26⅞	26⅞	26⅞
Anaconda Copper	10½	10½	10½
Armour A.	4	..	..
Atchison	85	84½	85
Atlan. Refin.	9⅞	9⅞	9⅞
Auburn	121	119½	121½
Balt & Ohio	19½	18½	18½
Bendix	16½	16½	16½
Beth. Steel	18⅞	18½	18½
Briggs Mfg.	8	..	..
Brklyn. Manh.	33½	33½	33½
Cal. Packing	29	29	29
Calumet & Hecla	3½	3½	3½
Canada Dry	8½	8½	8½
Can. Pacific	11½	11½	11½
Case Threshing	49½	49½	49½
Cerro De Pasco	39	38½	38½
Chas. & Ohio	41	41	41
Chgo. & N. W.	7½	7½	7½
Chgo. R. Isld.	17½	16	16½
Chrysler	12½	11½	11½
Coca Cola	107	104½	104½
Colo Fuel	7½	7½	7½
Columbia Gas	12⅞	12⅞	12⅞
Con. Bottende	7½	7½	7½
Cont. Can	33⅞	33⅞	33⅞
Cont. Oil of Del.	17½	17½	17½
Cont. Shares	7½	..	..
Corn Prods.	49	49	49
Curtiss Wright	1½	1½	1½
Curtiss Wrights A	4½	4½	4½
Davison Chem.	4	..	..
Del & Hudson	78½	78½	78½
Drug, Inc.	51⅞	51⅞	51⅞
E. I. Dupont	44	43½	43½
Eastman Kodak	85	83⅞	83⅞
Gen. Asphalt	10	10	10
Gen. Cigar	39	39	39
Gen. Elec.	4½	4½	4½
Gen. Foods	37½	..	..
Freeport Texas	18½	18½	18½
Gen. Asphalt	11	11	11
Gen. Elec.	18	24½	24½
Gen. Foods	31½	31½	31½
Gen. Motors	28⅞	28⅞	28⅞
Gillette Razor	11½	11½	11½
Gold Dust	17½	17½	17½
Goodrich T. & R.	8⅞	8⅞	8⅞
Goodyear Tire	15	14⅞	15
Granby Copper	6⅞	6⅞	6⅞
Houston Oil	17	17	17
Howe Sound	45½	45½	45½
Hudson Motors	16½	16½	16½
Illinois Cent.	16½	16½	16½
Int. Harvester	33½	33⅞	33½
Int. Nickel	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞
Int. Paper	3½	3	3½
Int. Tel & Tel	5½	5½	5½
Johns Manvil	27½	27½	27½
Kelvinator	7½	7½	7½
Kennecott	16½	16½	16½
Kroger Groc.	13⅞	13⅞	13⅞
S.S. Kresge	12½	12½	12½
Lambert	36½	36	36½
Lehigh Valley	11½	11½	11½
Lig. & Myers	45	45	45
Loew's	17½	17½	17½
Lones	38½	38½	38½
Lone Star	10½	10½	10½
Lorillard	13½	13½	13½
Mack Truck	13½	13½	13½

Vancouver Grain

By N. Bawlf Grain Co., Ltd.

WHEAT—	Close
1 hard	60½
No. 1	60½
No. 2	58½
No. 3	56½
No. 4	54½
No. 5	47
No. 6	42
Feed	36
Track	60½

MINNEAPOLIS FLOUR

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Dec. 24.—Flour unchanged. Shipments 22,246. Flour sales 14,00 to 14,60.

Wheat No. 1 Northern 68⅞ to 70⅞; No. 1 Red Durum 54⅞ to 56⅞; December 67⅞; May 65⅞; July 69⅞.

Corn, No. 3 yellow 38⅛ to 39.

Oats, No. 3 white 25⅞ to 26⅞.

Rye, No. 1, 36 to 146.

Miami Copper	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛
Mins. K&T RR.	4⅞	4⅞	4⅞
Mias Pacific	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛
Monts Ward	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛
Nash Motors	15⅛	15⅛	15⅛
Nat. Bisc.	39⅞	39	39⅞
Nat. Cash Reg.	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛
Nat. Dairy Prods.	23⅛	23⅛	23⅛
Nat. P. & L.	13⅛	13⅛	13⅛
Nevada Copper	4⅞	4⅞	4⅞
N.Y. N.H. & H.	30⅞	30⅛	30⅛
NY Central	38⅞	38⅛	38⅛
Norfolk & West	119⅛	119⅛	119⅛
N. Am. Corp.	32⅞	32⅛	32⅛
Paramount	4⅞	4⅞	4⅞
Penn. R.R.	18⅞	18⅞	18⅞
Phillips Pete	8⅞	8⅞	8⅞
Pub. Serv. of N.J.	38⅞	38⅛	38⅛
Radio	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛
Rem. Rand	3⅞	3⅞	3⅞
Reynolds Tob.	32	32	32
Salevay	42⅞	42⅞	42⅞
St. Louis S.F. RR.	3⅞	3⅞	3⅞
Sears Roebuck	32	32⅞	32⅞
Shell Union	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛
Simmons	4	4	4
Standard Oil	5⅞	5⅞	5⅞
Stanly Oil	4⅞	4⅞	4⅞
Gen. Cal. Edison	36⅞	36⅞	36⅞
Sonth Pacific	39⅞	39⅞	39⅞
Southern R.R.	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞
Standard Brands	12⅞	12⅞	12⅞
Stand. Gas	28	27⅞	28
Stand. Oil Calif.	37⅞	37⅞	37⅞
Stand. Oil N.J.	26⅞	26⅞	26⅞
Stand. Oil N.Y.	9	..	..
Stewart Warner	5	..	..
Studebaker	11⅞	11⅞	11⅞
Tex. Corp.	11⅞	11⅞	11⅞
Texas Gulf	23⅞	23⅞	23⅞
Timken Roller	18⅞	18⅞	18⅞
Underwood	84⅞	84⅞	84⅞
Union Oil of Calif.	12⅞	12⅞	12⅞
Union Pacific	78	78	78
United Aircraft	11	11	11
United Corp.	8⅞	8⅞	8⅞
United Gas Imp.	14⅞	14⅞	14⅞
U.S. Alcohol	5⅞	5⅞	5⅞
U.S. Alcohol pfd.	38⅞	38⅞	38⅞
U.S. Rubber	5⅞	5⅞	5⅞
U.S. Steel	38⅞	37⅞	38⅞
Union Carbide	36⅞	36⅞	36⅞
Vanadium	8⅞	8⅞	8⅞
Warner Bros.	2⅞	2⅞	2⅞
West. Maryland	4	..	..
West. Electric	36	35⅞	35⅞
Westinghouse	14⅞	14⅞	14⅞
Yellow Cab	2⅞	2⅞	2⅞
Willys Overland	3⅞	3⅞	3⅞
Woolworth	36⅞	36	36⅞
Pennroad	4	..	..
Radio 4th Grph.	⅞	⅞	⅞
Pennroad	..	..	..
Sales to 3.10 p.m.			909,000

Edmonton Grain

By John Gillespie & Co., Ltd.

WHEAT	Close
1 Northern	60½
2 Northern	58½
3 Northern	51½
No. 4	39½
No. 5	33½
No. 6	23½
Feed	23½
OATS—	
3 C.W.	16
1 C.W.	15
Extra 1 feed	15
1 feed	14
2 feed	13
BARLEY—	
3 C.W.	21½
3 C.W.	19½
3 C.W.	18½
No. 4	16½
RYE—	
3 C.W.	23½
3 C.W.	21½
4 C.W.	18½
Rejected	16½
FLAX—	
1 C.W.	72
2 C.W.	68
3 C.W.	62

World Wheat

Canadian Press

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 24—Following wheat quotations were supplied by Broomhall, Liverpool, today. All prices are c.i.f. (cost, insurance and freight) Liverpool per bushel, Canadian money:—

	Today	Saturday
No. 1 Man. Nor. Vancouver shipment, Jan.	80	80½
No. 2 Man. Nor. Atlantic shipment, Jan.	74½	75½
No. 2 Man. Nor. Vancouver, shipment, Jan.	72½	73
No. 3 Man. Nor. Atlantic shipment, Jan.	72½	73
Argentine (Rosario) (Barll, 64 lbs.), shipment, Jan.	66½	66½
Argentine (Rosario, 63 lbs.), shipment, Jan.	66½	66½
Western Australian wheat, shipment, Jan.	74½	75
U.S. No. 1 hard winter, new crop, Gulf shipment, Jan.	74	72
U.S. No. 1 hard, old crop, Atlantic shipment, Jan.	80½	80½

Note—Above quotations were converted by Broomhall on a seven day average exchange rate of 68.42 and re-converted into Canadian currency at $1.00, today's approximate exchange rate between banks.

MONTREAL PRODUCE

MONTREAL, Que., Dec. 24—Prices reported on the Montreal produce market today are as follows:

Butter, No. 1 pasteurized 21⅞ to 22 cents a pound.

Eggs, extras 31 cents a dozen; firsts 23 cents a dozen.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Dec. 24—Foreign exchanges firm. Great Britain $4.85½; France 3.93½; Italy 5.08½; Belgium 13.92; Germany 23.79; Montreal $1.81¼.

ADDITIONAL MARKETS WILL BE FOUND ON PAGE FIFTEEN

WHEAT GAINS FRACTIONALLY ON 'PEG MART

Canadian Press

WINNIPEG, Man., Dec. 24—In light pre-holiday evening-up trade wheat prices gained fractionally in the wheat pit here today. Prices at the close were ¼ to ½ cent higher than Wednesday's close.

December closed at 58½, for an advance of ¼. May advanced ½ cent to 62 while July rose ⅝ to ½ to close at 62⅝ to 62⅞.

Pit transactions again were limited with few orders coming in from outside. Export trade was stagnant and traders everywhere appeared to have given themselves over to the Christmas holiday which will find all important grain markets closed until next Monday.

Reports from France intimated that with native wheat selling at $1.03 per bushel there was a possibility of foreign quotas being increased in the new year.

Cash wheat and coarse grains in dull trading with spreads practically unchanged.

By James Richardson & Sons, Ltd.

	Close
WHEAT—	
1 Northern	58½
2 Northern	56½
3 Northern	50½
No. 4	42
No. 5	35
No. 6	25
Feed	25
Track	58½
OATS—	
3 C.W.	28½
2 C.W.	25½
Extra 1 feed	25½
1 feed	24½
2 feed	23½
Rejected	18½
Track	28½
BARLEY—	
3 C.W.	38
4 C.W.	35½
5 C.W.	32½
6 C.W.	32½
Track	38½
FLAX—	
1 N.W.C.	97½
2 C.W.	93½
3 C.W.	89½
Track	98½
RYE—	
2 C.W.	42½
3 C.W.	40½
Rejected	37½
Track	41½

WINNIPEG PRIVILEGES CLOSE

	Bids	Offers
May wheat	61½	62⅛
July wheat	62⅛	64

CHICAGO PRIVILEGES CLOSE

	Bids	Offers
July wheat	..	..
May wheat	55⅞	57⅛

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YEAR-END CLEARANCE

Starts Saturday, December 26th, 1931—At 8:30 a.m.

Now a short session of store activities. We have just five days to dispose of the odds and ends, the broken lines and left-overs resulting from the recent busy season of holiday shopping. We're clearing counters for the great mid-winter shopping event that starts with the New Year — The January Sale. And there'll be no half-measure in our methods. Clearance is first consideration and to that end prices have been figured extraordinarily low. Saturday's offerings are signalized by notable values from many departments .... golden opportunities to effect substantial savings. LOOK FOR "AS - ADVERTISED" and "NOT - ADVERTISED" CARDS throughout the Store on Saturday. COME EARLY AND COME OFTEN!

THE STORE WILL REMAIN CLOSED
FRIDAY, DECEMBER 25th

EATON GROCETERIA
PRICES UNIFORMLY LOW—PAY LESS, LIVE BETTER
THESE PRICES IN EFFECT ON SATURDAY

GRANULATED SUGAR 20 lb. sack $1.05
BUTTER—Eaton's "Sun Glo" 3 lb. block 69c
JAM—Strawberry 4 lb. tin 46c
SOUP—Campbell's Any kind 3 tins 28c
BRAN FLAKES—"Kellogg's" or "Post's" 2 pkts. 23c
10 A.M. SPECIAL
SOAP—Fels Naptha 10 bar carton 62c
10 bars to a customer. 300 cartons only
MARMALADE—"Jasper" orange 4 lb. tin 43c
CLEANSERS—"Royal Crown" 2 tins 13c
AMMONIA POWDER—"Royal Crown" 2 pkts. 15c
ROLLED OATS 7 lb. sack 27c
PLUMS—Lombard, No. 3 squat tin 3 tins 29c
SARDINES—"Glacier" 3 tins 23c
MILK—Evaporated No. 1 tall tin 3 tins 31c
HONEY—"Clover" No. 2½ tin 29c
2 P.M. SPECIAL
CORN FLAKES—"Sugar-Crisp". Pkt. 1200 pkts. only 5 pkts. to a customer. 5c
MACARONI—Cut, 8-oz. pkts. 3 pkts. 14c
PEARS—No. 2 tins 2 for 29c
GRAPEFRUIT—Black Diamond 3 for 25c
HEAD LETTUCE, large 2 heads 19c
9 to 10:00 SPECIAL
ORANGES—344's. Dozen 15c
4 dozen to a customer
CELERY—Trimmed and washed 4 lbs. 25c
APPLES—Wagners Good Eaters 6 lbs. 25c
CHOICE SWEET CLOVER SLICED BACON—Special 2 lbs. 25c
CHOICE COOKED HAM—Sliced, Special, lb. 29c

Service Grocery
Prompt Delivery—Dial 9-1-2-4-3

BUTTER—Eaton's "Imperial" creamery, 1-lb. prints, Special 2 lbs. 54c
CHEESE—"Chateau" ½ lb. pkt. 18c Canadian
ROLLED OATS—Freshly milled 20 lb. bag 59c
SOUP—"Aylmer" Assorted, Special 3 tins 25c
BAKING POWDER—EATON'S "Snowflake" 3 lb. tin 45c
ROMAN MEAL—Pkt. 29c
CHEF SAUCE 9 oz. bottle 23c
B.C. COOKING ONIONS 10 lbs. 25c
JELLY POWDERS All flavors 3 pkts. 20c
OLIVES — "McLaren's" imiuiclde pimento stuffed 10 oz jar 30c
SUGAR—B.C. pure cane Special, 100 lb. bag $5.35
MINCE MEAT—"Libby's" bulk, Special 2 lbs. 35c
TOMATOES—Choice quality, No. 2½ tin, At 3 tins 33c
TEA OR COFFEE — Eaton's Special blend, Lb. 33c 3 lbs. $1.00
FLOUR—Eaton's "Green Seal" brand, Special 98 lb. bag $2.15
PORK AND BEANS—in tomato sauce, "Aylmer," No. 2 squat tins 3 tins 25c
PEAS — "Aylmer" Jumbo sweets, No. 2 tin Special 2 tins 29c
FLOUR—Aylmer, Pastry, Special 5 lbs. 29c
CELERY—Washed and trimmed 3 lbs. 25c
GRAPES—"Emperor" 2 lbs. 35c
ORANGES—"Sunkist," New Navels 2 doz. 49c
APPLES—Fancy "Jonathans" Case $2.15
LEMONS—Medium size. Doz. 27c
GRAPEFRUIT — From Florida, good size 3 for 27c
CARROTS, BEETS AND TURNIPS, Special 10 lbs. 15c
POTATOES—White and mealy 90 lb. bag 39c

Fresh Cooked Meats
Prompt Delivery—Dial 9-1-2-5-4

CHOICE LEG OR LOIN LAMB Whole, Special, lb. 19c
CHOICE FILLET OR LOIN VEAL, Special, lb. 19c
PRIME SIRLOIN AND PORTERHOUSE ROAST BEEF, Special, lb. 19c
PRIME ROLLED RIB ROAST BEEF, Special, lb. 17c
FRESH PORK HAM—whole or half, Special, lb. 11c
CHOICE SPRING CHICKEN—Special, lb. 14c to 16c
CHOICE SMOKED HAM—whole or half, Special, lb. 17c

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Christmas and New Year Greetings to You!

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